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Associational Missionary—None.
Standing Committees—None.
Associational Sunday School—None.
Laymen's Movement—None.
B. Y. P. U. and W. M. U. Conventions meet on other dates.
Officers Baptist Schools or other institutions—None.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

1931 Session

Ansonville—N. C. Coggin, Mrs. Nell S. Young, Mrs. M. T. Ballard.

Bethel—B. M. Smith, C. H. Hartsell, W. H. Pusser.

Cartledge Creek—A. J. Harrington, T. G. Thomas, Miss Elizabeth Dockery.

Cobb Memorial—O. M. Hilburn, U. S. Webb.

Deep Creek—None.

East Laurinburg—R. D. English, Lacy Long, Miss Viola Carter.

East Rockingham—Mrs. Ruby White, J. Marvin Smith, A. L. Honeycutt.

Ellerbe—B. B. Covington, Mrs. W. E. Gaddy, Miss Annie Marks.

Gibson—O. W. McMannus.

Hamlet—C. C. Robinson, Stanley Cole, Rev. J. A. Summey, Mrs. J. B. Willis.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg—W. L. Fields, D. J. Sinclair, C. W. Odom, Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, W. Emory Trainham.

Lilesville—R. T. Howie, W. A. Ingram, D. M. Leanord.

Midway—R. H. Watts, David Taylor.

Morven—J. S. Liles, D. E. Lampley, Mrs. J. P. Boyd.

McDonald—Roy McDonald, Miss Lena Marks, Miss Annie McDonald.

Peachland—J. W. Thomas, A. D. Griffin, Mrs. A. D. Griffin, Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Pee Dee—D. P. Clark, W. H. Boggan, Miss Ruby Boggan.

Pleasant Grove (R)—Zack Grice, Daniel E. Campbell, Baxter Richardson.

Polkton—R. G. Austin, S. L. Napier, Miss Lelia Goodman.

Roberdel—J. F. Haigler, Mrs. Sallie Dunn, Mrs. J. A. McNeill.

Rockingham—W. E. Harrison, Claude Gore, W. H. McCall, Mrs. H. W. Warner.

Saron—J. D. Covington, Charlie Watkins, C. F. Wright.

Slates Memorial—J. W. Slate.

Spring Hill—Mrs. Jno. M. Watson, D. W. L. Smith, Mrs. W. J. Matthews, Monroe McMillan.

Steeles—Roll Kelley, Mrs. Roll Kelley, C. L. Cribbs, Willie Moore.

Wadesboro—B. M. Covington, R. S. Pruette, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Mrs. Lila Henry.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be called the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

ARTICLE 2. This Association shall be composed of messengers elected annually by the Baptist churches coöperating with this Association.

ARTICLE 3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected as the first item of business after reading letters and enrollment of messengers, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE 4. The objects of this Association are Missionary, Educational and Benevolent, together with the deeper fellowship and larger Christian usefulness of all who coöperate with it.

ARTICLE 5. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

ARTICLE 6. The churches coöperating with this Association shall send by the hands of their messenger, a full account of all work done by them during the year, and all such statistics and information as will be interesting and helpful.

ARTICLE 7. This Association shall meet once a year at such time and place as may be agreed upon by the preceding session, or by its Executive Board.

ARTICLE 8. The Association shall elect an Executive Board of nine—three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and the successors of each of these groups shall be elected for a term of three years. The officers of the Association shall be ex officio members and the respective officers of the Executive Committee.

The duties of the Executive Board shall be to transact all the business of the Association during the intervals of its meetings. The Board shall also superintend Associational Missions and Colportage and such other objects as shall be entrusted to them. They shall have power to distribute all sums paid to them by the Treasurer of the Association for the objects under their charge, collect and disburse funds for those objects and shall make to the Association an annual report.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint some one to write a report of the whole Coöperative Program; and it shall be the duty of the Program Committee to appoint a leader to speak on each phase of the work. And it shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint a committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next session, and to make all nominations for officers and executive committees.

ARTICLE 10. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers attending such meeting: *Provided,* that notice of such change shall have been given during the first sitting of said meeting after permanent organization.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.

3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.

4. Unbrotherly remarks and personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.

5. The parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED SIXTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

LAURINBURG FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Laurinburg, North Carolina

Tuesday, October 20, 1931, at 10:00 A.M.

1. The One Hundred and Sixteenth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association convened with the First Baptist Church of Laurinburg, Laurinburg, North Carolina, on Tuesday, October 20, 1931, at 10:00 A.M., with the following proceedings had, to-wit:

2. Devotional service is led by E. P. Pearce, Hamlet Baptist Church, and Bruce Benton, Rockingham Baptist Church, prayed. The song service is conducted by D. P. Clark, Pee Dee Baptist Church.

3. Bruce Benton, Moderator of the last sessions, calls the Association to the transaction of business.

4. Charles B. Deane is appointed a committee for the enrollment of messengers and upon roll call reports every church having filed their church letters prior to the Association date and each church represented by messengers, except Deep Creek and Hoffman.

5. The Moderator appoints the following Nominating Committee to recommend officers for the present session, viz.: T. G. Thomas, Chairman, B. M. Covington, and W. E. Trainham.

6. The report of the Nominating Committee is placed before the Association by the Committee Chairman and on motion by T. G. Thomas the following officers were unanimously elected for the present session: Bruce Benton of Rockingham, N. C., Moderator; Roland S. Pruette of Wadesboro, N. C., Vice-Moderator; Charles B. Deane of Rockingham, N. C., Clerk and Treasurer; E. M. Brooks of Peachland, N. C., Historian.

7. On request of the Moderator the following new pastors of the Association are introduced and welcomed into the sessions and the Association: Rev. N. C. Coggin, Pastor Ansonville Baptist

Church; Rev. J. A. Summey, member Hamlet Baptist Church. Pastors Luther Knight of Deep Creek, and Grady Brewer of McDonald, were read out by the Clerk as new pastors but were not present.

8. Among the several visitors present were: Dr. Charles E. Maddry, Raleigh, N. C.; Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Wood, Maxton, N. C.; Rev. Coy Muckle, Wingate, N. C.; Rev. John Arch McMillan, Thomasville, N. C.; Dr. C. M. Hawkins, Laurinburg, N. C.; W. R. Beach, Raleigh, N. C.; Rev. and Mrs. William Lunceford, Missionaries to Indians in Robeson and Hoke Counties in North Carolina.

9. The next order of business is the submitting by any new churches, credentials for their admittance into the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

10. Rev. W. H. Boggan, acting pastor of the Mount Olive Baptist Church, in Richmond County, presents a petition from the said church in which they ask to be admitted to the Pee Dee Baptist Association. This petition is referred to the following Special Committee appointed by the Moderator, to-wit: E. M. Brooks, Chairman, J. M. Smith, and E. P. Pearce.

11. Rev. J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C., follows with the introductory sermon, using as his text Matthew 17: 19-21. His theme was, "Why We Fail At Our Task," emphasizing first, "Lack of Faith," second, "Lack of Prayer," and third, "Lack of Sacrifice." Brother Meigs preached a great sermon and was greatly instrumental in bringing the Association into a spiritual atmosphere that marked the beginning of one of the greatest meetings of the Association.

12. Standing, the Association sang, "I Love to Tell the Story," after which Rev. W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, N. C., presents the Associational Report. The report covering all objects was effectively delivered by Brother Trainham, and upon motion, is adopted.

THE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Coöperative Program is a plan devised and adopted by Southern Baptists as the most practical method of carrying out the complete command of Christ for the spread of the gospel to the whole world. It seeks to discourage partisanism for any one phase of Christ's program and endeavors to give our people an enlarged vision of the whole work. One child of our Convention is thereby not neglected because of parental indulgence in the interest of the other children. On this basis our agencies seek

to operate in sympathetic accord with one another. No plan however perfect, would work effectually without the unity and oneness accorded by the presence of the Spirit of Christ.

Throughout the bounds of our Southland thousands of our people are unenlisted, uninterested in this great world-program. No better proof of this fact than their failure to participate in giving for the sake of Him who gave all. For this reason our people are greatly stirred by the South-wide movement to have a simultaneous every-member canvass in every Baptist Church on November 29 to December 6. Each one of the objects of our Convention is suffering for lack of funds and decreasing receipts. Unless our people come to the rescue and contribute to the whole work, at least the tithe that is already the Lord's, some of our children would have to be put out to starve and perish.

MISSIONS

13. "Ye shall be my witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth," is still the supreme command and business of the church. To be individual witnesses only in one locality to the exclusion of witnessing in any other would discountenance the personal element in this command. The field of Christian missions is not limited to certain localities but extends to all humanity. It is "the extensive realization of God's redemptive purpose in Christ by means of human messengers." Missions is found in the heart of God; is made expressive for all men in the gift of His son; and is the way of making most effective the services of His followers.

(1) State Missions

14. One of the primary objects as stated in the first article of our Constitution adopted in 1830 is the employment of missionaries within the State. Hundreds of the struggling churches are now among our strongest because of the faithful services of these missionaries. The problem that looms largest is the great number of unenlisted churches and their unenlisted members. Shall the Baptists continue to labor for the unsaved million in North Carolina and lose many of those received in this ever-increasing host of unenlisted Baptists? The growing industrial situation presents our denomination with a challenge that should test our mettle. In some places Union churches are formed where more than three-fourths of the resident constituency are Baptist inclined. Mission work is needed in a very definite way in the great industrial centers to offset the tides of materialism, unbelief, and anti-Americanism. Only recently our Board lost a great opportunity in a typical Baptist community to another denomination because funds could not be secured to send to them a worker.

Surely money is playing a large part in limiting our activities for Christ. In the face of all this, further drastic retrenchment is necessary. It seems most unfortunate that our mission work must be allowed to suffer while all effort is concentrated on our educational debt. However, each one knows that bonds and interests underwritten by the Convention must be met, even at so great a cost. Many churches and fields now receiving aid from our Board will be asked to support themselves.

The glowing response of our people to the emergency appeal this year with a wonderful offering of more than seventy-one thousand dollars should greatly hearten us. Many can appreciate the meaning of these words of Dr. Maddry when he wrote the pastors: "Please express to your people my deep and abiding gratitude for the generous and gratifying response to this appeal of our General Board." He needs now the prayers of our people for the guidance of the Master more than ever before as he faces another cash-raising effort in meeting the large bonded indebtedness falling due at the close of this year. Let us help hold up his hands through our coöperation in prayers and gifts.

(2) Home Missions

15. This board is interpreting missions to mean the "making and baptizing of disciples" and is preaching to foreigners, Indians, Negroes of our Southland, in Cuba and Panama through 252 missionaries and helpers.

The Board is living within its income, and in spite of decreasing receipts is practicing the most rigid economy. It is of some encouragement to note that $141,000 is paid on the principal of the Board's indebtedness and not a single field abandoned. "With the coöperation of the State Boards, Southern Baptists through the Home Mission Board will be able to evangelize the Southland, preach the gospel to the foreigners who are in our midst, help the Negroes to come into their own as a Baptist people, build denominational morale, and revitalize our spiritual interest throughout the whole territory. The prospects for the future for Home Missions are as bright as the promises of God and the faith of His people." We are becoming more and more aware of the opportunity of evangelizing the whole world through the converted foreigners who in large numbers are returning to their native land every year.

(3) Foreign Missions

16. Experience teaches that he who gives liberally towards the missionary enterprise abroad likewise gives freely to missions at home. He who truly believes in one will express an identity of conviction for the other. We are frequently reminded of our debt in terms of money: $945,366, a net reduction for last year

of $200,000. But we should be further reminded more often that there is a greater debt of larger importance, the payment of which would quickly cover our bank indebtedness. Paul confesses it in Romans: "I am debtor to Greeks and to Barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish. So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you also that are in Rome. For I am not ashamed of the gospel; for it is the power of God unto Salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek."

The Lottie Moon offering taken by our women last December is providing for the salaries of one hundred missionaries and other desperately needed things. Even with this timely help our work is suffering a net loss of 121 foreign missionaries and 704 native workers, and placing a double strain on those who remain. While Southern Baptists are waiting, 104 trained volunteers passed the age limit, and 125 awaiting their opportunity to be sent. The saddest feature that caused the greatest suffering to our dearly beloved and lamented Home Secretary, W. Eugene Sallee, was the fact of these prepared young people delaying their Divine Call to a dying people because our Southern Baptists are using their money for other purposes. As it looks now from all reports, further retrenchment is necessary. The recent words written by Dr. T. B. Ray, Executive Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, should awaken our hearts to deeper sympathy, greater sacrifice, and more complete giving: "Our situation is quite different now. Our income is below the amount received in 1930. Unless something extraordinary happens, we shall have to curtail our 1932 activities more drastically than we have ever done in our experience—this, alas, in the face of the most successful efforts we have ever made abroad, and in the presence of the most inviting opportunities we have ever seen."

The Foreign Mission Board reports the largest number of baptisms it has ever been able to report in any one year, 14,415. Mission schools are crowded with students while many are turned away. In spite of the closing of two hospitals, the others, nine in all, had a record year in treating stricken people. The five publishing houses are unable to meet the demand for literature.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

17. Education is defined in its derivation as "the act of leading out." The American educational system is in the way of a grave danger of a one-sided intellectual standard that leads out only one side of the individual. Christian education is something more than learning mere facts and knowing how to use them. It seeks to differentiate facts and places a spiritual interpretation

upon them looking towards the fullest development of Christian character. In view of this fact alone there should be sufficient reason for more enthusiastic interest in our Baptists Schools.

Southern Baptists are conducting four schools for training of leaders: Southern Baptist Seminary and the W. M. U. Training School at Louisville, Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, and Baptist Bible Institute at New Orleans. The State Conventions are responsible for 31 senior colleges, 30 junior colleges, and 31 academies. Of this number three senior and four junior colleges are located in North Carolina. It is not desirable that we should compete with the State schools but strive to maintain small but efficient Christian schools with the emphasis upon the Christian content. Even though our non-denominational schools had four times as many students, the denominational schools had twice as many representatives listed in "Who's Who in America." This suggests that the religious content in education tends to produce leadership.

Through the Baptist Student Union our denomination is given the opportunity of putting this content into these State schools by maintaining student-secretaries on the campuses to care for the religious interest of the students. It is said that there are more Baptist boys and girls in these schools than in our own Baptist institutions. This is a great pity for our schools need the loyalty of our people and the young people should have spiritual content that should be rightly theirs.

Our State Convention faces the problem of meeting the staggering payments of interest and principal. Enlargement and greater efficiency are almost out of the question, when every possible dollar must be turned into the other direction. The wonderful response of the churches to the special appeal last February demonstrates anew the loyalty and devotion of the Baptists of North Carolina to the work of the Convention. It is hoped that much prayer will be entered into by all the churches and individuals for the success of the effort that must be made at the close of this year for another payment of bonds and interest. Though the way is not clear now yet we should face the unknown with the promise of Phillipians: "But my God shall supply all your needs according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

Ministerial education is an important item of our denominational life. Three per cent of the regular coöperative fund given for ministerial education is very inadequate. It is reported that last year 185 young people in our various Baptist schools were studying for the ministry or some special service and only a small aid could be given to ninety.

BENEVOLENCES

(1) Hospital

18. The North Carolina Baptist Hospital is no longer an experiment after eight years of successful social service. Approximately sixteen thousand patients from every quarter of the State and from other states, among them our missionaries, students, ministers, and their families, widows, and orphans is reported as having taken treatment at our great hospital; a vertable life-saving station for the suffering and dying Baptists of our State. The receipts from the Coöperative Program, Duke Foundation and the Mothers' Day offering of the Sunday School are far short of the demands of charity, building upkeep, and debt liquidation.

The very low death rate, the modern equipment, and the excellent medical and nursing staff, working always under a fine spiritual atmosphere are strong inducements for our patronage. This institution does not minister solely to a local constituency, but in a broad sense the whole State. This year the charity work cost sixty thousand dollars for patients sent to us by our Baptist churches throughout the State. In order to keep this good work up and do as much as possible each church or community sending a charity patient is asked to pay one dollar and a half a day of that patient's expenses.

Our people should take more seriously the work of the hospital. Even should this institution minister only to a local constituency it would be sufficient argument for our unselfish Baptist people to give liberally that others in dire need may receive such a blessing. The New Testament testifies that Jesus went about doing good. One must remember that his physical healing had a great deal to do with enabling the Savior to touch the faith of the unbeliever. Soothe and ease the pain of the body and there is an open door to the heart.

(2) Mills and Kennedy Homes

19. Of all the work done by our Baptist State Convention this is probably the most popular. An orphan in need is an appeal that immediately touches a tender cord nearest the hearts of the most indifferent and stirs him to sacrificial giving. Nevertheless, with all this natural resource of appeal the gifts are inadequate to meet the crying need of our Baptist orphans. Without the aid of the Coöperative Program the Homes are almost dependent upon Sunday schools and churches for direct gifts. But to show the situation more plainly there are 1,348 of 2,300 churches reporting no gift during the quarter ending July 1. And fifteen of these churches are in the Pee Dee Association. Are we doing our best for such a worthy cause?

There are 635 children in the Thomasville and Kennedy Homes. Two hundred and sixty-five are with their mothers cared for by Mothers' Aid. North Carolina Baptists should be proud of the great service being rendered in the aid of twenty per cent of all the children cared for by Southern Baptists. The weekly visit of *Charity and Children* refreshes us with personal information from our children.

(3) Old Ministers' Relief and Annuity

20. Southern Baptists are becoming more and more aware that the minister is not working for financial returns. Even the average small earning that is not turned back into the denominational work is quickly consumed by his immediate needs. Many churches are refusing to call the aged minister with his ripe Christian experience, and turning their wooing to youth, leave the veteran without support. These experienced soldiers of the cross must live. Since they have poured out their best how are they to find help for their closing years? This is a worthy object through which our denomination may make up for their leaders for past negligence in offering small salaries.

The work of the Board is done through two departments. The first is the Relief Department which receives three and one-half per cent of the Coöperative Fund. In addition to this amount it appropriates the interest from the Invested Reserve Fund to the same purpose. The receipts from the churches are so rapidly decreasing that last year the Board was forced to draw on its Reserve Fund for nearly half the whole amount allocated to its beneficiaries, and without this Reserve Fund even the small amount received by our old preachers must have been cut in half. Our North Carolina ministers are actually receiving this year nearly twice as much as our churches are sending in for this purpose.

The other department is known as the Service Annuity Department. Under the Relief Department the beneficiaries are not asked to make any payments, while under the Service Annuity Plan they coöperate with the churches. A pastor contributes 2½ per cent of his salary in monthly installments and his church 8 per cent of his regular salary. By these means together with a contingent fund that the Board provides it is proposed to accumulate for the participating pastor 65 years of age a minimum of $500 a year or a maximum of $1,200 a year, depending in general on the average salary received under 35 years of service. Special provision is made in case of disability before reaching 65 years, and widows are to receive one-half the amount allocated to their husbands.

There are 691 ministers, 603 widows, 49 emergency cases and 15 children regular beneficiaries throughout the South. Of these, 70 ministers and 59 widows are from North Carolina. Under the

new annuity plan there are 55 ministers, 45 missionaries, and 67 widows.

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

(1) Sunday School

21. The Sunday School is a vital part of the church and through the teaching of the Bible should make more intelligent the worship service of the church. There is a tendency in some quarters to separate this work from the church worship. The school that is encouraging this practice is seriously hurting its pupils and the "mother" church. It is tragic beyond words to allow the worship service to appeal only to the interest of the adult almost to the exclusion of youth. Strengthen the fundamental teaching, enhance the spiritual motives upon which the former is based and the church of tomorrow will become that much stronger.

The State work is badly handicapped by the lack of funds to carry on its training activities due to the fact that only two regular workers are now maintained and part of their time is given to debt raising. The good that is accomplished through thousands of awards made each year for books studied can hardly be estimated. A definite program of work, whether its the one recommended by the Board, or one devised by the local church, is absolutely necessary for the attainment of Kingdom progress. Of the 108 North Carolina schools reaching the standard requirements of the Sunday School Board we note that in this number are listed some of our largest as well as smallest rural schools. Some of our people are afraid of any change in organization for better efficiency less the Spiritual would be lost in the exchange. The danger in any organization is the possibility of losing sight of the individual. Our observation convinces us that the older type of organization leans more in this direction than the standard plan. The school that once attains this award does not want to give it up.

The pastors, superintendents, and leaders of the 28 churches of our association should be greatly stirred over last year's report. It lists no standard school, only eight graded, three home departments, nine cradle rolls. In seventeen schools not a teacher holds a normal diploma. Surely our people cannot remain any longer indifferent to such a condition in our own midst. Let us all be up and doing, for it's the Master's work.

(2) Baptist Young People's Union

22. As the Sunday School is the teaching arm, so the B. Y. P. U. is the training arm for the service of the church. The greater the efficiency of these arms of service greater the health-

fulness of the body. Exercise is the normal way to health. Many of our ministers and leaders rejoice to bear testimony of the fact that it was in this training service of some church they first received the desire, call, and training to do some definite service for their Master. If there is any lack of interest on the part of our young people in the preaching service of the church it is largely due to the failure of the church to show a warm, sympathetic, and responsive understanding for their work. Sometimes a visitor is shocked by the absence of so many of the young people in their attendance upon the preaching service. If the B. Y. P. U. does not train for the church then it is of little or no value in itself. If the training of our young people leads not to a deeper and more vital relationship then a serious readjustment should be made. Let us awaken to the opportunity God is putting in our hands. Unless we do use this means what will become of the attendance upon our churches.

Let us visit the twenty-five B. Y. P. U.'s of our Association and listen to the programs, note the number taking part in the prayers, see how many are reading their Bibles daily, and leading in services that very few of us years ago had opportunity to do. If this arm of our service does nothing more than to encourage two hundred and eleven young people of our own Association to read their Bible daily during last year it is even sufficient in itself.

BIBLICAL RECORDER

23. Dr. Truitt, upon his return from his famous mission tour of South America, makes a startling statement that the Baptist natives of that country would not think of failing to have their denominational paper in each of their homes, and declares his embarrassment when one native inquired if this were so in America.

There is revealed by statistics that only one-third of our three million Baptists have any part in the benevolent work and less than one-third of our Baptist families are receiving their State paper. We name briefly four reasons why every Baptist family should subscribe to the *Recorder:*

First, because of the loyalty to Christ, the Cause, and our denomination.

Second, because it seeks to indoctrinate, inform, inspire, and interpret.

Third, because it brings our people up-to-date with progress of missions, education, and benevolences.

Fourth, because it counteracts the flood of evil literature and independent religious material, putting a constructive program in the place.

Respectfully submitted,
W. EMORY TRAINHAM.

24. Charles B. Deane, Treasurer, presents his report:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rockingham, N. C., October 20, 1931.

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*
In Account With
THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

To amount collected for Minute Fund	$179.60	
By balance due from 1929 Minutes		$ 50.00
By amount paid, Mitchell Printing Co., printing		50.00
By amount paid, Railway Express Co., express		1.24
By amount paid, Mitchell Printing Co., printing		90.00
By amount paid, Mitchell Printing Co., printing		25.00
By amount paid, Fred A. Bower, expense		10.00
By amount paid, Clerk, postage, etc.		7.00
To balance due	$ 53.64	
	$233.24	$233.24
By balance due Treasurer as above		$ 53.64

Respectively submitted,
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer.*

25. On motion the report of the Treasurer is adopted.

26. Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro, N. C., Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Assosciation, presents the report of the women, and upon motion is adopted.

W. M. U. REPORT

It is with pleasure that I bring greetings in behalf of the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to the Pee Dee Baptist Association. The records of the closing year show considerable advancement in organization of new societies, and the enlistment of new members.

The W. M. U. of our association now has 18 active organizations. And I am sure no association can boast a more deeply consecrated and zealous group of workers than those in the Pee Dee. It has been an inspiration to work with these whole-hearted, true-hearted women, so loyal to the Master's cause.

There are ten Y. W. A. societies. The 1929 Minutes show five G. A. organizations. Today we are justly proud to report thirteen. It has been wonderful to see the growth in our Girls' Auxiliary. No phase of the work appeals to me more forcibly than the development of our boys and girls. These G. A.'s will eventually become splendid trained leaders. Two years ago we held our first Girls' Conference, which was attended by 200 or more girls and

the results were so wonderful that we now hold such a conference each year in June.

It is with regret that I report the work of the Royal Ambassadors: Only six in the entire association and I feel we are sadly neglecting this important field. I implore the leaders as never before to create an interest in our boys. I appeal to the brethren to lend a hand in developing an organization in each church. My observation shows intense interest and willingness among the boys and how necessary it is to have them trained along missionary lines.

A reference to statistical table seven of these minutes will reveal in detail the work in the various churches with the exception of gifts which contributions total for the year $4,045.61.

During the past year I have written 135 letters, 90 postals, visited 48 societies, held 22 meetings, and traveled 1,201 miles.

I feel sure that every organization of the W. M. U. will heartily endorse the Every Member Canvass and put forth every effort to make it redound to the glory of our Lord and Master.

Respectively submitted,

(MRS.) SHELLEY HORNE ROSE,
Superintendent.

27. On motion, a summary of the Thirty-seventh Annual Session of the W. M. U. Auxiliary to the Pee Dee Baptist Association, which session was held in Hamlet, N. C., March 13, 1931, is ordered incorporated within the minutes.

W. M. U. CONVENTION SUMMARY

Responding to the call of Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Superintendent, the session of the W. M. U. meeting with the First Baptist Church, Hamlet, opened on the morning of March 13, 1931, with an earnest devotional address by Mrs. H. L. Barrett of Hamlet, N. C. Among the features of the morning program were the reports of Mrs. B. F. Bray, Wadesboro, N. C., Mission Study Leader, and Mrs. L. D. Husband, Hamlet, N. C., Personal Service Leader.

Mrs. Una Roberts Lawrence, State W. M. U. worker, Raleigh, was present and brought a very appealing address on "Our Home Mission Task." Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham, N. C., discussed our opportunity in "Our Young People's Work."

The afternoon session, following a devotional message by Mrs. T. L. Caudle, was devoted mainly to reports. Coming first were the reports of Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Anson County, Mrs. Ozmer L. Henry, Richmond County, and Mrs. W. E. Matthews, Scotland County, Divisional Leaders. The report of the Young People's Work was given by Miss Hattie Marks. These reports showed excellent work accomplished during the year.

Two inspirational addresses were made at this session, one by Mrs. B. F. Bray and the other by Mrs. Una Roberts Lawrence, Mrs. Bray speaking on "Stewardship" and Mrs. Lawrence on "Some of the Results of Our Home Mission Tasks."

The report of the Nominating Committee was received and upon motion adopted. The officers for the ensuing year are: Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Superintendent; Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, First Vice-President; Mrs. T. B. Liles, Second Vice-President; Mrs. B. T. Hill, Secretary; Mrs. B. F. Bray, Mission Study Superintendent; Mrs. L. D. Husband, Personal Service Leader; Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, Treasurer; Miss Hattie Marks, Young People's Leader.

Before adjournment a gift of $36.40 was presented to Mrs. Lawrence, who stated that this gift would go to the offering to Paul Bell's Orphan Home. It was announced that a window in the new Baptist Church, Wadesboro, was being placed there especially honoring Mrs. Lila Henry, who for 28 years was superintendent of the W. M. U., and that one-half the cost of the window would be paid by the W. M. U. of the Association.

Banners were won by the W. M. U. and the Sunbeams, both of Hamlet, after which the session adjourned to meet at the Morven Baptist Church in April, 1932, upon a date to be decided upon.

28. On motion, the special In Memoriam report of E. M. Brooks, Historian, is adopted.

IN MEMORIAM

Since our gathering together in Rockingham, N. C., last year we have watched pass from the activity of our Association three most worthy and outstanding citizens as well as three devoted ministers of our Lord. They were Brothers J. M. Arnette, member at Spring Hill; J. M. Bennett, member at Ellerbe, and C. H. Martin, member at Polkton.

In recording the deeds of these faithful servants of our Master, we who remain are stirred to greater achievements. Brother Arnette, Brother Bennett and Brother Martin were all graduates of Wake Forest College. Brother Arnette continued his education and received from the University of North Carolina his Ph.D. degree. Brother Martin studied also at the University of Virginia.

The ministry of Brother Martin at Polkton, and Brother Arnette at Spring Hill, left a lasting impression. Both were men of wide influence, not only in their various fields of work but were great home lovers. They leave behind children of unusual ability.

Of particular interest in the life of Brother Martin was his election to the Congress of the United States. It

marked the second time that this great Assembly was served by two active ministers of the Pee Dee Association. The first was Elder John Culpepper, 1807-1829, and Rev. C. H. Martin, 1894-1898.

And as we record only a few incidents in the life of these beloved men, it behooves us to live as close to our Master as did they. This friendly record is herewith presented, "Lest we forget, lest we forget."

Respectively submitted,
E. M. BROOKS, *Historian.*

29. The Moderator announces the appointment of the following committees:

Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher: O. W. McManus, Chairman, W. H. Pusser, D. W. L. Smith.

Committee to Plan Program for 1932 Sessions: T. W. Hearne, Chairman, C. E. Ruffin, C. B. Deane.

Committee to Suggest Members for Executive Committee and Delegates: W. E. Harrison, Chairman, J. Marvin Smith, E. M. Brooks.

Committee to Audit Books of the Treasurer: W. H. McCall, Chairman, E. P. Pearce, J. B. Willis.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

30. The Association reconvened at 1:30 P.M., with D. P. Clark in charge of the song service. N. C. Coggin, of the Ansonville Church, conducts the devotional.

31. Each of the chairmen of the various committees appointed at the morning sessions are called upon for their reports.

32. O. W. McManus, Chairman of the Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher, reports for the committee as follows: Time, Tuesday after the third Sunday in October, 1932; Place, Bethel; Preacher, T. W. Hearne; Alternate, W. Emory Trainham. Upon motion, the report is adopted.

33. W. E. Harrison, Chairman of the Committee to suggest names for Executive Committee and Delegates to the Baptist State Convention, reports for the Committee as follows: That B. M. Covington, O. L. Henry and Jno. R. Miller, be elected as members of the Executive Committee for a term of three years and that E. M. Brooks be named as Delegate to the Baptist State Convention. On motion, the report is adopted.

34. W. H. McCall, Chairman of the Committee to audit the books of the Treasurer, reports for the Committee as follows: That we find all funds properly accounted for and that the Clerk is obtaining the printing of the minutes at the minimum cost. Also that the Treasurer is faced with a deficit of $53.64 and we recommend the Association raise this amount.

34(a). Upon motion to adopt, T. W. Hearne calls to the attention of the Association that the minutes of the Pee Dee Baptist Association for the year 1930 were selected by Dr. E. P. Alldredge, of the Baptist Sunday School Board, as the best minutes in the State of North Carolina, and tied for third place in the South. This was also the same record for the year 1929. And further, that our Association does not pay our Clerk any compensation for preparing the minutes and it does behoove the churches to pay the minute fund assessed. Following this appeal by Brother Hearne the Association responded wonderfully with a free will offering which was sufficient to pay the deficit reported by the Treasurer. On adoption of the report, every church is urged to pay the minute fund assessed and aid the Clerk in this essential part of the work. The report is adopted.

35. In the absence of the Chairman, E. P. Pearce makes the report of the Special Committee to investigate the petition of the Mount Olive Baptist Church who desires to come into the Pee Dee Baptist Association. Following a careful study the Committee recommends that the church be received subject to the Constitution and rules governing the churches within the Association. Upon motion, the report is adopted.

36. Dr. Charles E. Maddry, Corresponding Secretary for the Baptist State Convention, Raleigh, N. C., delivers a very practical as well as deeply spiritual address upon the South-wide Promotion and Every-Member Canvass.

37. He is followed by J. B. Willis, Hamlet, N. C., Chairman of the Every-Member Canvass in the Pee Dee Association, who earnestly solicits each church to organize and get behind this great movement which should mean much to every Baptist Church in the South.

38. At this time the Moderator calls for a discussion of the Associational Report as read and adopted at the morning session.

39. T. W. Hearne, a very enthusiastic supporter of the Baptist Hospital, discusses the work of this great institution.

40. W. R. Beach, representing the *Biblical Recorder*, speaks on the *Recorder*.

41. The report of the B. Y. P. U. is discussed by O. W. McManus.

42. John Arch McMillan, representing the Mills Home, speaks on both the Mills Home and Christian Education.

43. "Old Ministers Relief" is discussed by Rev. Coy Muckle, President of Wingate Junior College.

44. President Muckle offers a resolution which asks the churches of the Association to support Wingate Junior College with their prayers and that the Association look with favor upon anything that any individual church might find itself able to do for the institution. On motion, the resolution is adopted.

45. The Clerk presents a Digest of Letters for the year ending September 30, 1931, as compared with the year ending September 30, 1930.

DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

	1930	1931
Received by baptism	224	212
Received by letter	190	159
Received by restoration, etc.	33	49
Total received	447	420
Decreased by letter, inactive, death	344	277
Net increase	103	143
Membership previously reported	5,231	5,235
Total present membership	5,334	5,378
Churches in Association	28	29
New churches received	1	1
Churches reporting	28	27
Churches with pastors	27	25
Churches having prayer meetings	15	19
Churches having Sunday schools	28	27
Enrollment of Sunday schools	5,068	5,173
Churches having B. Y. P. U.'s	15	14
Total B. Y. P. U.'s in Association	25	26
Enrollment of B. Y. P. U.'s	522	617
Churches holding revivals	24	21
Number revivals held	29	25
Churches observing Lord's Supper	20	20
Number observances Lord's Supper	63	63
Families receiving *Biblical Recorder*	236	208
Amount paid pastors in Association	$ 20,946.98	$ 19,161.12
Value church property	409,800.00	411,150.00
Total gifts local work	54,031.29	43,715.45
Gifts all benevolences	9,667.32	9,458.88
Total all gifts	$ 63,692.78	$ 53,174.33

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

46. C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C., presents the following Temperance Resolution, and on motion to adopt the subject is warmly discussed by Brother Ruffin, and is adopted.

TEMPERANCE RESOLUTION

We, of the Pee Dee Baptist Association, do hereby declare ourselves in favor of the continuance and determined enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment. We believe in prohibition and the marvelous benefits derived therefrom, which are too numerous to list in this report. We also believe that any movement on the

part of any individual, group of individuals, or organizations, having as their purpose the repeal or modification of our present prohibition laws, is a menace to the best interest of the American people, and should receive the united and never-tiring opposition of our Baptist brotherhood.

Our nation has made great gains in this movement for the uplift and betterment of humanity, but the end is not in sight. There is in this nation a well-organized, well-financed movement by the so-called "Modificationists," who are in reality as wet as the Atlantic Ocean, and who are determined by any means to again blight the happiness of our nation by the "cursed" rum traffic, in order that the coffers of the distillers may overflow with the wages of American workmen, and at the expense of great suffering on the part of the women and children of this great republic of ours.

The Supreme Court of our nation has declared the Eighteenth Amendment constitutional, but to this group, who would again place the crown upon the head of "demon rum," there is no law but the law of personal liberty, which declares that all law is secondary to their desires, and that the welfare of a brother or his family is not to be considered when their personal liberty (license) is interferred with. Then too, we must ever be mindful of the fact that this evil knows no defeat. Dealt a crushing blow today, it will repeat its charge tomorrow, and often with renewed determination, and greatly increased numbers.

If we are to continue to occupy the ground we have gained, much of it taken by heroic sacrifices on the part of the originators of the prohibition movement, it is going to be necessary for us to commit ourselves to the cause of temperance, and stand as stalwart defenders of the Eighteenth Amendment, regardless of any attempt on the part of any individual, group of individuals, or organizations, to force by any means the retrenchment of the Eighteenth Amendment.

Respectively submitted,

C. E. RUFFIN.

47. The Clerk suggests, and the Association on motion orders, that the Moderator and Clerk work together on the various resolutions passed today and if they feel such items can be condensed and carry the truth they are intended to convey, that they be so empowered. The motion carries.

48. On motion of J. B. Willis, the Association expresses its thanks to the ladies of the Laurinburg Church, who served such a delightful dinner.

49. At 4:30 P.M., the Association, finishing all the business of the session, adjourns. Prayer by J. B. Willis.

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator*,
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk*.

Our Home-Goers

Since September 30, 1930

"The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death."
—I Cor. 15:26.

Ansonville—None.

Bethel—None.

Cobb Memorial—None.

Cartledge Creek—Mrs. Henry Covington, Mr. John Sinclair.

Deep Creek—Mr. C. B. Chewning, Mr. David Huntley, Mrs. W. G. Ratliffe.

East Laurinburg—None.

East Rockingham—Mrs. Ethel Moore, Mrs. Nola Lewis.

Ellerbe—Elder J. M. Bennett, Mr. J. F. Stafford.

Gibson—Mrs. J. B. Mason, Mr. W. R. Johnson, Mr. W. D. Henry.

Hamlet, First—Mrs. Aurela E. Click, Mrs. S. E. Campbell, Mrs. E. G. Hogan, Mrs. Florence Head, Mrs. J. R. Morrison, Mrs. E. D. Spence, Mrs. Monroe Screws, Mr. W. L. Gibson, Mr. C. L. Holtzscheiter.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg, First—Mrs. D. M. Tedder, Mr. Geo. T. Goodwyn, Mr. John Grubbs, Mrs. T. V. Baker.

Lilesville—Mrs. J. H. Broome.

Midway—Mr. R. H. Watts, Mr. David Taylor.

Morven—Mrs. J. E. Lewis.

McDonald—None.

Peachland—Mr. V. Titus Horne.

Pee Dee—None.

Pleasant Grove (R)—Miss Mary Dabbs, Mr. D. P. Snead.

Polkton—Elder C. H. Martin, Deacon W. A. Gaddy, Mr. Dorsey Gaddy, Mrs. Ira Lee Gaddy.

Roberdel—None.

Rockingham, First—Deacon Wm. A. Poplin, Mr. Jas. A. Seago, Mrs. Annie Maness, Deacon V. J. McLaurin, Mr. Stephen J. Henry.

Saron—Mrs. Alice Covington, Mrs. Lillie Ussery, Mr. Wilson Bennett.

Slates Memorial—None.

Spring Hill—Dr. J. M. Arnette, Pastor.

Steeles—Mrs. Ernest Boling, Mrs. Etta Covington, Mrs. S. T. Morse, Mrs. Alice Steene, Mr. C. L. Suite.

Wadesboro—Mrs. T. J. Tice, Mr. C. M. Griffin, Mr. J. E. Morton.

"O death where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?" —I Cor. 15:55.

ORDAINED MINISTERS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN THE CHURCHES OF THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH MEMBER	WORK
Benton, Bruce	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Pastor
Biles, H. C.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Saron	Member
Boggan, W. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Boyd, John P.	Morven, N. C.	Morven	Inactive
Brewer, Grady	High Falls, N. C.	High Falls	Pastor
Brooks, E. M.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Pastor
Cain, A. T.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Inactive
Coggin, N. C.	Norwood, N. C.	Norwood	Pastor
Edwards, Wilbur	East Laurinburg, N. C.	East Laurinburg	Pastor
Hearne, T. W.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Hilburn, O. M.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Inactive
Knight, Luther	Ruby, S. C.	Ruby	Pastor
Meigs, J. C.	Polkton, N. C.	Polkton	Pastor
Miller, John R.	Raeford, N. C.	Raeford	Pastor
McManus, O. W.	Gibson, N. C.	Gibson	Pastor
Pridgen, P. A.	Lilesville, N. C.	Lilesville	Pastor
Ruffin, C. E.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Pastor
Smith, J. Marvin	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Pastor
Summey, J. A.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Inactive
Trainham, W. Emory	Laurinburg, N. C.	Laurinburg, First	Pastor
Webb, U. S.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Inactive
Willis, J. B.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Pastor

ASSISTANTS TO PASTORS

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH MEMBER	ORDAINED MINISTER?
Hawkins, Mrs. J. H.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	No

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH MEMBER	INSTITUTION
Williams, James Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Wake Forest College

B. Y. P. U. OFFICERS, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Association Meeting Held at Another Time

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders and Address*
Ansonville	No report.
Bethel	No report.
Cartledge Creek	No report.
Cobb Memorial	No report.
Deep Creek	Miss Clara Moore (S), Route 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Lacy Long (S), East Rockingham, N. C.
East Rockingham	No report.
Ellerbe	Miss Eva Wallace, Director, Ellerbe, N. C. Dexter Freeman (S), Ellerbo, N. C. R. L. Freeman (I), Ellerbe, N. C. Miss Pearl Hogan (J), Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Esther McNeill (S), Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. Marion Lynch, Director, Hamlet, N. C. Myles Pond (S), Hamlet, N. C. Miss Virginia Keaton (J), Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	No report.
Laurinburg, First	J. W. C. Stewart, Director, Laurinburg, N. C. Charles Barrett (I). Laurinburg, N. C. Mrs. W. Emory Trainham (J), Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	P. A. Pridgen, Director, Lilesville, N. C. Joe Allen (S), Lilesville, N. C. P. A. Pridgen (J). Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	No report.
Morven	Miss Simmons Boyd, Director, Morven, N. C. Miss Susan Thomas (S), Morven, N. C.
McDonald	Roy McDonald (S), Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland	A. D. Griffin, Director, Peachland, N. C. Murphy Privette (S), Peachland, N. C. Mrs. May D. Redfern (I), Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	No report.
Pleasant Grove (R)	No report.
Polkton	Mrs. Mary Lockhart, Director, Polkton, N. C. Robert Baucom, Jr. (S), Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	Miss Jessie Ballard (S), Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Hattie Marks, Director, Rockingham, N. C. Miss Gertrude Walden (S), Rockingham, N. C. Miss Pauline McBride (I), Rockingham, N. C. Mrs. F. I. Mason (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	No report.
Slates Memorial	No report.
Spring Hill	D. W. L. Smith, Director, Wagram, N. C. Fulford McMillan (S), Raeford, N. C. Mrs. A. D. Thomas, Mrs. W. R. Bullard (J), Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	No report.
Wadesboro, First	Miss Dorothy Tice, Director, Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Leona Morton (S), Wadesboro, N. C. Mrs. Julian Lee (I), Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Kate Livingston (J), Wadesboro, N. C.

OFFICERS WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Association Meeting Held at Another Time

Church	*Presidents and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. Bessie Staten, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	No report.
Cartledge Creek	No report.
Cobb Memorial	No report.
Deep Creek	Mrs. W. J. Gulledge, Route 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Mrs. R. L. Stocks, East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. J. W. Wilson, Mills Rural Station, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. J. C. Adams, Hamlet, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	Mrs. M. M. Tilley, Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. H. J. Wall, Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	No report.
Morven	Mrs. J. P. Boyd, Morven, N. C.
McDonald	No report.
Peachland	Mrs. A. D. Griffin, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	No report.
Pleasant Grove (R)	No report.
Polkton	Mrs. J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	Mrs. J. W. Miller, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Mrs. Bruce Benton, Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	Mrs. J. D. Covington, Ellerbe, N. C.
Slates Memorial	No report.
Spring Hill	Mrs. W. J. Matthews, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	No report.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.

Divisional Leaders

Anson Division	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.
Richmond Division	Mrs. Ozmer L. Henry, Rockingham, N. C.
Scotland Division	Mrs. W. E. Matthews, Laurinburg, N. C.

OTHER AUXILIARY LEADERS

Sunbeam Leaders

Church	
Ansonville	W. C. Curlee, Ansonville, N. C.
Deep Creek	Mrs. J. V. Gulledge, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Miss Flossie Quick, Laurinburg, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. J. B. Baucom, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Willie Frank Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	Mrs. W. E. Robertson, Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. C. C. Reece, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. L. W. Humphrey, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Mrs. Susan Thomas, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. Lucy Duncan, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Mrs. J. T. Hough, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. W. R. Bullard, Wagram, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. E. H. Harkey, Wadesboro, N. C.

R. A. Leaders

Deep Creek	E. H. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. W. E. Gaddy, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. O. C. Morrison, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. I. L. McGill, Laurinburg, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Henry Walden, Rockingham, N. C.

G. A. Leaders

Deep Creek	Mrs. W. C. Webb, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. Etta McKay, Mills Rural Station, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. Jack Horton, Ellerbe, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. W. A. Benton, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. L. A. Pender, Laurinburg, N. C.
Morven	Mrs. P. L. Allen, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. J. T. Britt, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. F. N. Bennett, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	Miss Lena Dunn, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Mrs. C. B. Deane (I), Mrs. S. A. Bishop (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. H. B. Allen, Jr., Wadesboro, N. C.

Y. W. A. Leaders

East Laurinburg	Miss Goldie Hueson, East Laurinburg, N. C.
Ellerbe	Miss Thelma Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. W. H. Webster, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. H. L. Barrett, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. P. A. Pridgen, Lilesville, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Peachland, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Netta Poplin, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. H. B. Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.

NOTE—All churches not reporting any of the above auxiliaries are omitted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Name and Address*
Ansonville	Robert Ballard, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	Raymond Jenkins, Ellerbe, N. C.
Cartledge Creek	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham, N. C.
Cobb Memorial	L. L. Deaver, East Rockingham, N. C.
Deep Creek	J. D. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Mrs. Lola Sanford, East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham	Miss Mary Bell Parker, Mills Rural Station, N. C.
Ellerbe	Miss Ina McIntyre, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Roxie Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Marion Lynch, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	Miss Myrtle Sims, Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	C. W. Odom, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Miss Sarah Dabbs, Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	Mrs. Claude Hancock, Rt. 1, Rockingham, N. C.
Morven	J. N. Johnson, Morven, N. C.
McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rt. 5, Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland	A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	Miss Nellie Dees, Rockingham, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (R)	Zack Grice, Rt. 1, Rockingham, N. C.
Polkton	Kenneth Lockhart, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	W. C. Nicholson, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	W. H. McCall, Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	Miss Miranda Covington, Ellerbe, N. C.
Slates Memorial	W. L. Slate, Wagram, N. C.
Spring Hill	Eddie Nassif, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	L. C. Ross, Cardova, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Miss Elizabeth Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.

THE HISTORICAL TABLE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

YEAR	WHERE HELD	PREACHER	MODERATOR	CLERK
1816	Richland Creek, Montgomery County		John Culpepper, Sr.	
1817	Cedar Creek (A)			
1819	Bethlehem Meeting House (R)			
1820	Jersey Settlement, Davidson County			
1821	Cartledge Creek (R)			
1822	Rocky River (A)			
1823	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1824	Pine Woods, Rowan County			
1825	Bear Creek			
1893	Morven	J. Q. Adams	Dr. E. H. Covington	S. T. Flake
1894	Wadesboro, First	J. F. Tuttle	E. A. Covington	W. D. Webb
1895	Spring Hill	T. S. Wright	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1897	Rockingham, First	W. M. Jones	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1898	Wadesboro, First	Dispensed with	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1899	Ansonville	W. M. Jones	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1901	Polkton	C. L. Greaves	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Mattnews
1902	Pleasant Grove (R)	J. F. Love	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1903	Brown Creek	G. O. Wilhoit	E. A. Covington	W. J. Mattnews
1905	Red Hill	E. D. Cameron	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1906	Rockingham, First	Livingston Johnson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1907	Wadesboro, First	W. H. Whitehead	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1908	Laurinburg, First	A. M. Burleson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1909	Peachland	T. G. Wood	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1910	Hamlet, First	Josiah Crudup	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1912	Hoffman	J. F. Davis	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1913	Lilesville	A. T. Howell	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1914	Rockingham, First	W. H. Reddish	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1915	Ellerbe	Bruce Benton	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1916	Wadesboro, First	James Long	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1917	Spring Hill	W. T. Baucom	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1918	Gibson	T. B. Justice	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1919	Hamlet, First	A. C. Hamby	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1920	Cartledge Creek	C. B. Austin	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1921	Wadesboro	R. T. Vann	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1922	Saron	J. M. Arnette	W. E. Harrison	W. J. Matthews
1923	Pleasant Grove (A)	J. B. Willis	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1924	Hoffman	C. L. Jackson	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1925	Ansonville	No sermon	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1926	Hamlet, First	E. V. Babb	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1927	Entwistle	J. A. Snow	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1928	Morven	J. F. Hoyle	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1929	Peachland	B. F. Bray	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1930	Rockingham, First	C. E. Ruffin	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1931	Laurinburg, First	J. C. Meigs	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane

NOTE.—Several years missing which Historian is now working upon.

Table I—Church Membership, Etc., Pee Dee Baptist Association, State of North Carolina, for September 30, 1931

Index Number	Church	Is it in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	Pastors and Postoffices	Days of Meeting	Church Membership									Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
						Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses			Total				
							Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures or Inactive	Deaths	Total Present Members				
1	Ansonville	Town	1886	N. C. Coggin, Norwood, N. C.	3	101	3				6				98	Yes	1	1	6
2	Bethel	Country	1916	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	3	49	7	3	3						62	No	1	No	5
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	1820	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	1	84					1		1	2	80	No	1	1	5
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	1909	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	4	119									119	Yes	1	2	No
5	Deep Creek	Country	1816	Luther Knight, Ruby, S. C.	2 & 4	170					1			3	166	No	No	No	8
6	East Laurinburg	Village	1911	Wilbur Edwards, East Laurinburg, N. C.	Each S.	219	7	1		3	10	6			214	Yes	1	4	7
7	East Rockingham	Village	1920	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham, N. C.	Each S.N.	145	21	7	8	19	12			2	186	Yes	2	1	6
8	Ellerbe	Town	1911	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	1, 2, 4	215	8	12			6			2	227	Yes	1	3	3
9	Gibson	Town	1886	O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.	Each S.	103	1				2			3	99	Yes	No	4	10
10	Hamlet, First	Town	1890	J. B. Willis, Hamlet, N. C.	Each S.	865	24	13	4		32			9	865	Yes	1	4	35
11	Hoffman	Town	1910	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	1	61	3				6				58	No	1	No	3
12	Laurinburg, First	Town	1879	W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, N. C.	Each S.	315	8	21	3		12		2	4	329	Yes	1	4	14
13	Lilesville	Town	1777	P. A. Pridgen, Lilesville, N. C.	2 & 4	193	7	3	1		5			1	198	Yes	1	1	10
14	Midway	Village	1918	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham, N. C.	2 & 4	105					2				103	Yes	2	No	No
15	Morven	Town		J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.	4	172	8	2			6	8		1	167	No	1	1	7
16	McDonald	Country	1919	Grady Brewer, High Falls, N. C.	2 & 4	101		5			6		5		95	Yes	1	1	2
17	Peachland	Town	1890	E. M. Brooks, Peachland, N. C.	1 & 3	254	20	3			1			1	275	Yes	1	2	6
18	Pee Dee	Village	1915	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, N. C.	Each S.	224	24	12	1		3				258	Yes	2	2	10
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	1882	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, N. C.	1 & 3	61	5	1	1		5			2	61	Yes	1	1	3
20	Polkton	Town		J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.	1 & 3	175		1			10	2		4	160	Yes	1	No	4
21	Roberdel	Village	1887	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	2	107					1				106	No	No	1	6
22	Rockingham, First	Town	1879	Bruce Benton, Rockingham, N. C.	Each S.	482	17	34			28			5	500	Yes	1	12	28
23	Saron	Country	1826	No Pastor		106		2			2		4	3	99	No	No	No	2
24	Slates Memorial	Country	1926	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.	4	20									20	No	No	No	1
25	Spring Hill	Town	1813	John R. Miller, Raeford, N. C.	1 & 3	133	6	1			6			1	133	Yes	1	4	5
26	Steeles	Village	1900	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, N. C.	Each S.	208	34	22	3		16			5	246	Yes	2	2	2
27	Wadesboro, First	Town	1869	No Pastor	Each S.	448	9	16	3		19			3	454	Yes	No	12	20
	Totals					5,235	212	159	27	22	198	16	12	51	5,378	19	25	63	208

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1931

Index Number	Churches	Is it a Village, Town, City, or Country Church?	Superintendents and Postoffices	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information							
				Officers and Teachers	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16 Years	Young People, 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll, Under 3 Years	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did You Hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?
1	Ansonville	Town	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville, N. C.	9	11	20	10	10	11	27	7	----	105	71	No	No	No	3	No	No	No
2	Bethel	Country	Raymond Jenkins, Ellerbe, N. C.	9	19	----	13	6	17	24	----	----	88	62	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	W. H. Covington, Rockingham, N. C.	6	5	5	6	16	28	21	----	----	87	49	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	O. M. Hillburn, Rockingham, N. C., Rt. 2	8	----	30	42	----	----	100	----	----	180	140	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
5	Deep Creek	Country	J. W. Carrick, Wadesboro, N. C., Rt. 3	9	6	9	10	10	10	10	----	----	64	61	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
6	East Laurinburg	Village	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg, N. C.	12	26	35	75	28	10	78	----	----	264	215	No	No	No	7	No	No	No
7	East Rockingnam	Village	W. L. Lampley, Mills Rural Station, N. C.	14	15	30	20	40	20	223	----	----	362	250	No	No	No	15	No	No	No
8	Ellerbe	Town	C. M. Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.	12	25	30	17	30	30	81	----	----	225	109	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
9	Gibson	Town	A. J. Gardner, Gibson, N. C.	10	6	7	11	12	----	19	17	33	115	50	Yes	No	7	No	No	No	No
10	Hamlet, First	Town	E. P. Pearce, Hamlet, N. C.	65	75	60	140	60	50	150	125	----	725	400	Yes	No	35	14	No	No	No
11	Hoffman	Town	A. M. Snider, Hoffman, N. C.	8	10	10	8	8	12	6	----	----	62	30	No	No	No	3	No	No	No
12	Laurinburg, First	Town	J. W. C. Stewart, Laurinburg, N. C.	40	32	37	41	36	18	74	52	15	345	183	Yes	No	No	6	No	No	No
13	Lilesville	Town	J. T. Saunders, Lilesville, N. C.	10	25	30	40	45	30	25	----	----	205	99	Yes	No	3	4	No	No	No
14	Midway	Village	Clyde Benoy, Rockingham, N. C. Rt. 1	7	12	10	18	12	----	15	----	----	74	50	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
15	Morven	Town	John P. Boyd, Morven, N. C.	12	9	12	21	21	15	26	----	----	116	60	No	No	3	8	No	No	No
16	McDonald	Country	Jno. L. McDonald, Rockingham, N. C.	6	----	19	23	----	24	6	----	----	78	30	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
17	Peachland	Town	A. D. Griffin, Peachland, N. C.	11	20	----	25	18	29	32	----	----	135	115	No	No	5	13	No	No	No
18	Pee Dee	Village	Jack Humber, Rockingham, N. C.	13	10	20	29	27	36	60	10	----	205	160	Yes	No	No	14	No	No	No
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	Will Campbell, Rockingham, N. C.	5	10	----	20	10	----	32	----	----	77	65	No	No	No	5	No	No	No
20	Polkton	Town	R. J. Harrington, Polkton, N. C.	12	17	11	23	15	20	25	----	----	123	80	Yes	No	2	No	No	No	No
21	Roberdel	Village	W. D. McRae, Roberdel, N. C.	9	----	15	10	7	10	15	----	----	66	40	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
22	Rockingham, First	Town	C. O. Funderburk, Rockingham, N. C.	27	28	28	35	37	73	48	25	50	351	200	Yes	No	7	11	Yes	60	No
23	Saron	Country	Charlie Watkins, Ellerbe, N. C.	7	10	10	15	20	24	11	----	----	97	69	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
24	Slates Memorial	Country	H. F. Slate, Wagram, N. C.	5	5	5	10	5	----	15	----	----	45	35	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
25	Spring Hill	Town	A. D. Thomas, Wagram, N. C.	10	14	9	16	20	30	29	----	----	128	84	No	No	No	6	No	No	No
26	Steeles	Village	O. D. Bland, Cardova, N. C.	15	39	47	27	26	61	61	18	----	294	212	Yes	No	1	15	No	No	No
27	Wadesboro, First	Town	C. C. Green, Wadesboro, N. C.	41	41	65	95	74	47	100	22	72	557	288	Yes	No	18	5	No	No	No
	Totals			392	470	554	800	593	605	1313	276	170	5,173	3207	9	No	81	129	1	60	No

TABLE III—CHURCH PROPERTY OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1931

Index Number	Churches	Church Clerks and Postoffices	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel if Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Waddell, Ansonville	Yes	1887	Wood	150	5	2	4	$ 3,500.00	No	$	$ 3,500.00	$	$ 2,000.00
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1	0	0	2,000.00	No		2,000.00		
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	Yes		Wood	400	1	0	0	1,000.00	No	2,000.00	3,000.00		
4	Cobb Memorial	Miss Grace Stogner, East Rockingham	Yes	1909	Wood	300	4	2	5	3,200.00	No		3,200.00		
5	Deep Creek	Mrs. G. K. Little, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	Yes	1815	Wood	400	3	0	3	3,600.00	No		3,600.00		
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	Yes	1916	Wood	500	7	2	6	5,000.00	No		5,000.00		3,500.00
7	East Rockingham	Miss Cassie White, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	800	13	3	12	6,000.00	No	3,000.00	9,000.00	1,600.00	
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	Yes	1913	Wood	600	9	2	8	5,000.00	No	2,000.00	7,000.00		
9	Gibson	W. H. Webster, Gibson	Yes	1922	Brick	500	9	1	7	24,000.00	No		24,000.00	3,790.41	12,000.00
10	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	Yes	1916	Brick	600	47	5	42	50,000.00	No	5,000.00	55,000.00		30,000.00
11	Hoffman	Frank Butler, Hoffman	Yes	1912	Wood	200	4	3	4	3,000.00	No		3,000.00		2,000.00
12	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	Yes	1928	Brick	500	39	6	30	65,000.00	No	10,000.00	75,000.00	16,000.00	20,000.00
13	Lilesville	H. V. Charles, Lilesville	Yes	1872	Wood	350	3	2	3	4,000.00	No	2,500.00	6,500.00		2,500.00
14	Midway	R. H. Watts, Rockingham	Yes	1918	Wood	300	5	0	4	3,500.00	No		3,500.00		
15	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	Yes	1908	Brick	400	8	2	7	10,000.00	No		10,000.00		3,000.00
16	McDonald	Pearl Davis, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	350	1	0	0	2,000.00	No		2,000.00		
17	Peachland	V. O. Bryant, Peachland	Yes	1918	Brick	500	1	1	8	8,000.00	No		8,000.00		
18	Pee Dee	L. L. Thrower, Rockingham	Yes	1915	Wood	600	11	0	9	6,000.00	No		6,000.00		4,000.00
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	Yes	1882	Wood	300	3			2,000.00	No		2,000.00		
20	Polkton	Miss Lelia Goodman, Polkton	Yes	1926	Brick	400	10	3	10	6,000.00	No	1,200.00	7,200.00	250.00	700.00
21	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	Yes	1887	Wood	300	5	2	4	2,500.00	No	150.00	2,650.00		1,000.00
22	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	Yes	1912	Brick	250	16	5	21	36,000.00	No		36,000.00	12,500.00	30,600.00
23	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	Yes	1878	Wood	200	4		5	2,000.00	No		2,000.00	150.00	
24	Slates Memorial	Miss Nonnie S. Slate, Wagram	Yes	1927	Wood	200	1			1,500.00	No		1,500.00		
25	Spring Hill	A. R. McMillian, Laurinburg	Yes	1918	Brick	300	8	4	6	15,000.00	No	2,000.00	17,000.00		
26	Steeles	Miss Virginia Pittman, Cardova	Yes	1895	Wood	400	9	3	8	6,000.00	No		6,000.00		4,000.00
27	Wadesboro, First	Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro	Yes	1928	Brick	450	47	6	42	95,000.00	500.00	12,000.00	107,500.00	30,000.00	40,000.00
	Totals		27			10,550	274	54	248	$370,800.00	$500.00	$39,850.00	$411,150.00	$64,290.41	$155,300.00

TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1931

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	For Support of Local Church Work											
			Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total for Local Church* Work Given by W.M.U.	Total for Local Church Work Given by Sunday School*	Total for Local Church Work Given by Church and All its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$ 81.00	$	$ 27.18	$ 46.52	$ 51.50	$ 73.72	$15.00	$ 7.50	$ 17.09	$ 46.52	$ 105.81	$ 319.51
2	Bethel	W. H. Pusser, Rt. 3, Ellerbe	75.00		3.00			17.60		4.00				99.60
3	Cartledge Creek	E. R Hudson, Rockingham	200.00				25.25	28.77	25.00	5.00	18.25		171.55	302.27
4	Cobb Memorial	J. E. Ingram, East Rockingham	200.00			190.00	68.00		7.00	4.25				469.25
5	Deep Creek	E. Y. Ratliffe, Rt. 3, Wadesboro	239.80		41.83	12.50	10.50	38.97	25.00	5.50		122.00	26.97	374.10
6	East Laurinburg	James McAbee, East Laurinburg	327.44		36.51	108.23	93.80	135.00	3.50	6.00				710.48
7	East Rockingham	Cecil Britt, Rockingham	800.00		77.00	487.50	140.18	108.62	10.00	6.00				1,629.30
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	800.00		100.00	125.00	103.25	145.46	13.07	9.00	5.00		150.68	1,300.78
9	Gibson	W. H. Webster, Gibson	600.00			72.48	180.06	4.10		8.50	10.00			875.14
10	Hamlet, First	B. R. Carroll, Hamlet	3,500.00	780.00	410.00	450.00	740.00	576.00	250.00	22.00	100.00		576.00	6,828.00
11	Hoffman	E. E. Maynard, Hoffman	204.00							6.50				210.50
12	Laurinburg, First	J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg	2,600.00		40.00	3,013.19	579.37	299.67		15.00	81.09			6,628.32
13	Lilesville	Joe H. Allen, Lilesville	720.00		63.08	456.00	86.74	56.12	3.00	6.25	1.00	101.36	103.36	1,392.19
14	Midway	R. H. Watts, Rockingham	44.04				4.00	23.93		3.50			27.43	75.47
15	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	358.50		57.83		50.56	47.45		6.25	2.30		59.51	522.89
16	McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rockingham			180.00		2.00	13.11		3.00				198.11
17	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	300.00		50.00		136.00	50.87	10.00	7.25	42.75	12.00	38.87	596.87
18	Pee Dee	Jack Humber, Rockingham	858.00		75.00	216.95	167.25	62.13	244.27	7.00	179.35			1,809.95
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	Will Campbell, Rt. 2, Rockingham	300.00		14.50		28.00	71.00		7.00	1.50			422.00
20	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	500.00		45.00	225.00	65.00	50.00		5.00		395.00		890.00
21	Roberdel	W. Carey Nicholson, Roberdel	236.67				34.25	45.38		6.00				322.30
22	Rockingham, First	Claude Gore, Rockingham	2,287.27	425.00	517.00	1,362.23	483.60	310.17	17.01	16.00				5,418.28
23	Saron	J. A. Covington, Ellerbe	150.00				4.00	29.84	10.00	4.00				197.84
24	Slates Memorial	Jas. W. Slate, Wagram								4.00				4.00
25	Spring Hill	J. N. Steele, Wagram	600.00		42.00	25.00	48.00	101.96		6.50			101.96	823.46
26	Steeles	I. B. Pittman, Cardova	829.40		86.67	82.25	121.10	75.91	326.72	9.00	38.71	140.00		1,569.76
27	Wadesboro, First	J. M. Liles, Wadesboro	2,350.00	75.00	91.40	5,748.95	834.28	334.51	240.94	15.00	35.00	608.62	334.51	9,725.08
	Totals		$19,161.12	1,280.00	1,958.00	$12,621.80	4,056.69	2,700.29	1200.51	205.00	$ 532.04	*1425.50	*1696.65	$43,715.45

*These items have been included in various items for support of Local Church Work and are not intended to be included in final total.

Table V—Gifts for Missions, Education, and All Benevolences

Index Numbers	Churches	Co-operative Program	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers Relief	Other Special Gifts	Total for Co-operative Program and All Specials	Given by W.M.U.*	Given by the Sunday School*	Total to All Missions, Education and Benevolence by the Church and All its Organizations	Grand Total All Gifts for All Purposes by Churches and All Departments
1	Ansonville	$ 15.05	$ 11.17	$ 7.20	$	$ 20.35	$ 39.84	$	$ 3.71	$ 3.50	$ 100.82	$ 48.06	$ 40.76	$ 100.82	$ 420.33
2	Bethel			5.45	2.06		12.80			12.33	32.64			32.64	132.24
3	Cartledge Creek	10.00		3.25	1.00		40.00	13.60		10.00	77.85		77.85	77.85	380.12
4	Cobb Memorial	8.40					66.00				74.40			74.40	543.65
5	Deep Creek	38.40	.90	2.05	2.45		6.81			.50	51.11	44.30	6.81	51.11	425.21
6	East Laurinburg	25.80					52.45				78.25	25.80	52.45	78.25	788.73
7	East Rockingham	15.00					95.21		10.00	10.00	130.21	10.00	95.21	130.21	1,759.51
8	Ellerbe	93.36	7.30	9.90	12.55		136.43	10.00		9.26	278.80	70.75	155.69	278.80	1,579.58
9	Gibson	105.92				112.25	21.90			10.71	250.78			250.78	1,125.92
10	Hamlet, First	1,646.00	76.00	60.00	90.00	912.00	457.00	29.00			3,270.00	1,267.00	671.00	3,270.00	10,098.00
11	Hoffman														210.50
12	Laurinburg, First	502.21	40.00	64.69	3.12		167.26			354.33	1,131.61	400.29	183.90	1,131.61	7,759.93
13	Lilesville	62.32	2.00	18.50			151.08	3.75		37.00	274.65	123.57	96.00	274.65	1,666.84
14	Midway						3.62				3.62		3.62	3.62	79.09
15	Morven	23.75	13.82	11.15	8.90		61.10	13.88		3.25	135.85	31.40	101.20	135.85	658.74
16	McDonald						6.95				6.95		6.95	6.95	205.06
17	Peachland	44.08	4.85	30.35			44.50	6.45		2.42	132.65	87.90	42.00	132.65	729.52
18	Pee Dee	25.00					64.00	39.26			128.26			128.26	1,938.21
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	10.25	10.25			13.26	33.60	5.10		1.50	73.96			73.96	495.96
20	Polkton	50.00				18.00					68.00			68.00	958.00
21	Roberdel	25.00					31.23				56.23	30.00	26.23	56.23	378.53
22	Rockingham, First	375.95				262.65	142.84				781.44			781.44	6,199.72
23	Saron	28.80	10.00				13.00	3.65			55.45			55.45	253.29
24	Slates Memorial	6.00					5.00				11.00			11.00	15.00
25	Spring Hill	236.81					165.97				402.78		40.32	402.78	1,226.24
26	Steeles	33.00	66.67				120.22	31.00			250.89			250.89	1,820.65
27	Wadesboro, First	650.00	25.00	38.97	53.00	387.46	369.75	50.00		26.50	1,600.68	102.00	473.68	1,600.68	11,325.76
	Totals	$ 4,031.10	$ 267.96	$ 251.51	$ 173.08	$ 1,725.97	$ 2,308.56	$ 205.69	$ 13.71	$ 481.30	$ 9,458.88	$ *2,241.07	$ *2,073.67	$ 9,458.88	$53,174.33

*These totals included in total for Co-operative Program and All Specials.

TABLE VI—B. Y. P. U.'S OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1931

Index Number	Churches	Does Church have General B.Y.P.U. Organization?	The Young People's Work																								Woman's Work													
			Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Number Taking B.Y.P.U. Study Course	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Students in College from Your Church	Index Numbers	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A. s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W.M.U. Organizations	W.M.S. Members	Y.W.A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R.A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses									
1	Ansonville	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	1	2	17	----	----	----	22	39	12									
2	Bethel	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
3	Cartledge Creek	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
4	Cobb Memorial	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	4	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
5	Deep Creek	No	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	23	----	----	23	22	9	23	----	5	1	----	1	1	1	4	17	----	10	14	12	53	10									
6	East Laurinburg	No	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	25	----	----	25	----	10	15	----	6	1	1	----	----	1	3	15	12	----	----	11	38	----									
7	East Rockingham	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	7	1	----	1	----	----	2	10	----	20	----	----	30	----									
8	Ellerbe	Yes	----	1	1	1	3	----	----	20	17	15	52	40	11	40	11	8	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	15	11	6	19	71	15									
9	Gibson	No	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	32	----	----	32	12	15	29	3	9	1	1	----	1	1	4	15	12	----	----	12	39	10									
10	Hamlet First	Yes	----	1	----	1	2	----	----	36	----	24	60	20	25	35	12	10	1	1	1	1	1	5	140	15	20	12	42	229	120									
11	Hoffman	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	11	1	----	----	----	1	2	8	----	----	----	12	20	----									
12	Laurinburg	Yes	----	----	1	1	2	----	----	----	20	21	41	22	14	15	6	12	1	1	2	1	1	6	96	12	40	15	56	219	16									
13	Lilesville	Yes	----	1	----	1	2	----	----	18	----	40	58	----	29	25	5	13	1	1	----	----	1	3	25	15	----	----	20	60	18									
14	Midway	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	14	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
15	Morven	Yes	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	18	----	----	18	8	9	10	----	15	1	----	1	----	1	3	12	----	9	----	16	37	10									
16	McDonald	No	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	16	----	----	16	5	1	5	----	16	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
17	Peachland	Yes	----	1	1	----	2	----	----	18	30	----	48	----	11	15	5	17	1	1	1	----	1	4	19	14	23	----	34	90	20									
18	Pee Dee	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	18	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
19	Pleasant Grove (R)	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	19	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
20	Polkton	Yes	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	20	----	----	20	10	9	11	----	20	1	----	1	----	1	3	25	----	22	----	25	72	25									
21	Roberdel	No	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	12	----	----	12	8	5	4	----	21	1	----	1	----	----	2	9	----	15	----	----	24	----									
22	Rockingham, First	Yes	----	1	1	1	3	----	----	18	29	18	65	26	40	42	6	22	1	1	2	1	1	6	67	8	30	11	12	128	41									
23	Saron	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	23	1	----	----	----	----	1	10	----	----	----	----	10	----									
24	Slates Memorial	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	24	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
25	Spring Hill	Yes	----	1	----	1	2	----	----	23	----	25	48	10	15	18	4	25	1	1	----	----	1	3	35	15	----	----	23	73	28									
26	Steeles	No	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	26	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----									
27	Wadesboro, First	Yes	----	1	1	1	3	----	----	33	24	42	99	27	36	54	5	27	1	1	1	----	1	4	93	24	21	----	15	153	44									
	Totals	10	----	14	5	7	26	----	----	312	120	185	617	210	239	341	59		18	10	13	6	15	62	633	142	221	58	331	1,385	369									

TABLE VII—WOMAN'S WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1931

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DIRECTORY OF ASSOCIATION

OFFICERS

Bruce Benton, *Moderator* ..... Rockingham, N. C.
Roland S. Pruette, *Vice-Moderator* ..... Wadesboro, N. C.
Charles B. Deane, *Clerk* ..... Rockingham, N. C.
Charles B. Deane, *Treasurer* ..... Rockingham, N. C.
E. M. Brooks, *Historian* ..... Peachland, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A. D. Griffin ..... Peachland, N. C.
J. E. Nicholson ..... Ellerbe, N. C.
B. M. Covington ..... Wadesboro, N. C.
W. E. Harrison ..... Rockingham, N. C.
J. R. Miller ..... Raeford, N. C.
J. T. Saunders ..... Lilesville, N. C.
C. O. Funderburk ..... Rockingham, N. C.
N. H. Shepherd ..... Lilesville, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL AUXILIARIES

B. Y. P. U. CONVENTION

Miss Willa Marks, *President* ..... Rockingham, N. C.
Miss Dorothy Tice, *Secretary* ..... Wadesboro, N. C.

W. M. U.

Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, *President* ..... Wadesboro, N. C.
Mrs. B. T. Hill, *Secretary* ..... Wadesboro, N. C.
Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, *Treasurer* ..... Wadesboro, N. C.
Miss Fan Long, *Service Leader* ..... Rockingham, N. C.

Delegate Baptist State Convention—J. B. Willis ..... Hamlet, N. C.
Associational Promotion and Every Member Canvass Chairman—W. Emory Trainham ..... Laurinburg, N. C.
Associational Missionary—None.
Standing Committees—None.
Associational Sunday School—None.
Laymen's Movement—None.
B. Y. P. U. and W. M. U. Conventions meet on other dates.
Officers Baptist Schools or other institutions—None.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

1932 Session

Ansonville—N. C. Coggin, Mrs. Nell S. Young, Mrs. M. T. Ballard, Mrs. C. F. Waddell, Mrs. E. T. Sullivan, E. G. Kimbrough.

Bethel—C. C. Pusser, Miss Irene Stuart, L. G. Russell.

Cartledge Creek—E. T. Harrington, Mrs. J. B. Biddix, T. G. Thomas.

Cobb Memorial—W. F. Grant, John Maness, Mrs. A. L. Honeycutt, A. L. Honeycutt.

Deep Creek—Luther Knight, J. L. Beck, E. Y. Ratliffe, Mrs. E. Y. Ratliffe.

East Laurinburg—Jack Penny, I. B. Bristow, J. B. Stanley.

East Rockingham—Tom Braswell, W. I. Parker, Maude Millican.

Ellerbe—L. H. Williamson, R. L. Freeman, A. F. Haigler.

Gibson—O. W. McManus, A. S. McNeill, Earl Coxe.

Hamlet, First—J. B. Willis, C. H. Teague, E. P. Pearce, M. S. Lynch, Fairly Seawell, Carl Austin, C. C. Robinson.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg, First—F. M. Warlick, R. E. L. Correll, J. R. Jordon, A. A. James, Mrs. W. C. Barrett, L. B. Stutts, Mrs. L. B. Stutts.

Lilesville—S. S. Dawkins, T. B. Seago, D. R. Leanord, N. H. Shepherd.

Midway—J. Marvin Smith.

Morven—J. N. Johnson, E. B. Vaughan, R. D. Lewis, J. C. Meigs.

Mt. Olive—Pleasant Long, O. P. Long, Robert Hudson.

McDonald—Roy McDonald, Ernest Wallace, Miss Lena Marks.

Peachland—A. G. German, Jas. Caudle, Van O. Bryant, Mrs. Ola Redfern, Ellie Austin.

Pee Dee—T. P. Seago, Fred Baldwin, Ralph Benoy, A. C. Phifer, Mrs. H. G. Dick, Mrs. L. L. Thrower.

Pleasant Grove (A)—E. R. Gilmore, W. L. Garris, C. B. Aycock.

Pleasant Grove (R)—A. H. Farmer, T. B. Campbell, Jas. H. Wallace, J. P. Teal.

Polkton—L. W. Medlin, Roe McLester, Oscar Walters, Mrs. J. C. Meigs.

Red Hill—J. D. Porter, R. J. Turner, Mrs. Brady Martin.

Roberdel—Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. Sallie Dunn, Miss Pauline O'Brien.

Rockingham, First—Mrs. M. B. Leath, Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Mrs. Claude Gore, Mrs. Hugh Warner, Miss Mary McBride, Miss Fan Long.

Saron—Donald McRae, J. D. Covington, C. M. Covington.

Slates Memorial—None.

Spring Hill—J. M. Watson, D. W. L. Smith, Monroe McMillan.

Steeles—R. J. Kelley, Jesse Goodwon, Vivian Pittman, Vermel Evans, O. D. Bland.

Wadesboro, First—B. M. Covington, L. J. Huntley, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, W. H. Moore.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be called the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

ARTICLE 2. This Association shall be composed of messengers elected annually by the Baptist churches coöperating with this Association.

ARTICLE 3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected as the first item of business after reading letters and enrollment of messengers, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE 4. The objects of this Association are Missionary, Educational and Benevolent, together with the deeper fellowship and larger Christian usefulness of all who coöperate with it.

ARTICLE 5. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

ARTICLE 6. The churches coöperating with this Association shall send by the hands of their messenger, a full account of all work done by them during the year, and all such statistics and information as will be interesting and helpful.

ARTICLE 7. This Association shall meet once a year at such time and place as may be agreed upon by the preceding session, or by its Executive Board.

ARTICLE 8. The Association shall elect an Executive Board of nine—three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and the successors of each of these groups shall be elected for a term of three years. The officers of the Association shall be ex officio members and the respective officers of the Executive Committee.

The duties of the Executive Board shall be to transact all the business of the Association during the intervals of its meetings. The Board shall also superintend Associational Missions and Colportage and such other objects as shall be entrusted to them. They shall have power to distribute all sums paid to them by the Treasurer of the Association for the objects under their charge, collect and disburse funds for those objects and shall make to the Association an annual report.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint some one to write a report of the whole Coöperative Program; and it shall be the duty of the Program Committee to appoint a leader to speak on each phase of the work. And it shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint a committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next session, and to make all nominations for officers and executive committees.

ARTICLE 10. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers attending such meeting: *Provided,* that notice of such change shall have been given during the first sitting of said meeting after permanent organization.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.

3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.

4. Unbrotherly remarks and personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.

5. The parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Ellerbe, North Carolina

Tuesday, October 18, 1932, at 10:00 A.M.

1. The One Hundred and Seventeenth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association convened with the Bethel Baptist Church, R. F. D., Ellerbe, North Carolina, on Tuesday October 18, 1932, at 10:00 A. M., with the following proceedings had, to-wit:

2. Devotional service is led by W. H. Boggan, Mt. Olive Baptist Church, and C. E. Ruffin, pastor of the host church conducted the song service.

3. Bruce Benton, Moderator of the last sessions, calls the Association to the transaction of business.

4. Charles B. Deane, Clerk is appointed a committee for the enrollment of messengers and upon roll call reports twenty-nine of the thirty churches having filed their church letters prior to the Association date and each church represented by messengers, except Hoffman and Slates Memorial.

5. The Moderator appoints the following Nominating Committee to recommend officers for the present session, viz: T. W. Hearne, Chairman, J. B. Willis, and N. C. Coggin. He then appoints E. M. Brooks, Chairman, J. Marvin Smith, and N. H. Shepherd, as the Committee on Committees.

6. The report of the Nominating Committee is placed before the Association by the Committee Chairman and on motion by T. W. Hearne the following officers were unanimously elected for the present session: Bruce Benton of Rockingham, Moderator; Roland S. Pruette of Wadesboro, Vice-Moderator; Charles B. Deane of Rockingham, Clerk and Treasurer and E. M. Brooks of Peachland, Historian.

7. On request of the Moderator the following new pastors of the Association are introduced and welcomed into the sessions and the Association: Rev. W. H. Moore, Pastor First Baptist Church, Wadesboro, and Rev. N. H. Shepherd, Pastor Lilesville Baptist Church.

8. Among the several visitors present and responding were: Prof. M. A. Huggins, Acting Corresponding Secretary, Raleigh; Dr. Charles E. Brewer, Meredith College, Raleigh; Mr. R. D. Covington, Mills Home, Thomasville; Rev. Coy Muckle, Wingate Junior College, Wingate; Mr. C. A. Upchurch, *Biblical Recorder,* Raleigh, and Miss Hattie Gardner, Baptist Bible Institute, Cardova.

9. Charles B. Deane, Clerk, under miscellaneous business presents the following resolution:

> "RESOLVED that this Association go upon record to support as never before the Kingdom work at home and abroad; and That we extend our Christian fellowship and love to the Anson Association located in Anson County and knowing that several churches of the Anson Association are Pastored by men who are also Pastors of Churches in the Pee Dee, that we extend a very cordial invitation to the Anson Association to join with the Pee Dee Baptist Association."

Upon motion the resolution is adopted and Bruce Benton, T. W. Hearne, J. B. Willis and W. Emory Trainham are delegated a committee to present the resolution in person at the meeting of the Anson Association on October 20, 1932, at Gums Springs.

10. Rev. T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, follows with the reading of verses from the sixteenth Chapter of John, and N. C. Coggin prayed. Brother Hearne proceeded with the introductory sermon using as his theme, "Christ at His Work," emphasizing His love, and His passion for the lost. With sincere earnestness this beloved minister preached a powerful sermon that lifted and greatly encouraged his hearers.

11. Standing, the Association sang, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand," after which Rev. N. C. Coggin, Pastor at Ansonville presents the Associational Report. The report covering all objects was ably delivered by Brother Coggin, and upon motion, is adopted.

THE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Coöperative Program is simply an effort to unify and correlate all of our work into one unified budget, thus enabling every member of the church to share with his gifts, in all of the work of Southern Baptists, at home and abroad.

Each State Convention fixes the percentage division of all funds between state and Southwide or world-wide objects. The Promotion Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention adopted the 50-50 ratio as the ideal toward which we should strive.

Possibly taking all the states of the Convention, we have an average of three hundred churches in each state that put on the Coöperative Program each year with an every-member canvass and send money to the

state headquarters once each month. Let us make these our Honor Roll churches and publish this list once each month in our State paper. These churches have saved the honor and integrity of every State Board in the South, month by month. There is not a board or agency in the Baptist life of the Convention that could survive six months without these Honor Roll churches that send in funds each month to state headquarters. May we not set our hands to the task of inducing every church in the Pee Dee Association to join this Honor Roll of live, missionary, conquering churches?

MISSIONS

12. Jesus laid upon his followers the obligation of carrying the gospel of the Atonement to the whole world. It was to extend across all racial barriers, making of them all one spiritual family. He taught by parable that a Samaritan was neighbor to a Jew in this kingdom family. Hear Him in his own words, "Other sheep I have which are not of this fold. Them I must bring and there shall one fold, one shepherd." The "bringing" is our responsibility and privilege.

State Missions

13. We present the State Mission work as seen in the following phases of the life of our people:

Before the War Between the States the negroes belonged to the white churches, but after the surrender they, with the help of their white brethren, went out and organized churches for themselves. They are overwhelmingly Baptists and now number not less than 250,000 in North Carolina. They have no organized State mission work; no training work either in the field of Sunday School or young people's work. The Catholics are awake to the situation, and their missionary propaganda is gaining hearty and generous response from the negroes in North Carolina today. Catholic nuns from the North have entered our mission field and are launching their movement for proselyting the negro race through the children and while we are asleep on the job others have entered their homes and are taking them from the Baptist ranks.

The work among the Cherokee Indians of Western North Carolina is taken care of by Rev. and Mrs. Joseph N. Lee. They have a mission house at Cherokee erected by the Board with a chapel that seats 400, with living quarters above. There is a large Government Industrial School located here, and the pupils from this school attend the services at our Cherokee church. This church was organized in 1923 with twelve members, and now has 130. The mission is now under the State Mission Board, and the only help our Board has ever given was the salary of the Lee's, and that had to be cut this year because of the continued falling off in gifts. Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Lunsford are leading the Cherokee Indians of the East out into visions of joyful service, and this is all that North Carolina is doing to evangelize a vigorous, thrifty people, and to pay a debt long past due.

North Carolina is rapidly becoming highly industrialized and it has become necessary to do something in a definite and practical way to offset the incoming tides of materialism, unbeliefs, and anti-Americanism that are flowing into these industrial centers. We must counteract the seeds of discord being sown into the minds of our people, and the doctrine and destructive teaching finding root in these industrial fields.

The rural churches may have good preachers, men of God, sound in faith, but they have suffered for lack of pastors who can and will shepherd the sheep. It cannot be done by a non-resident, short time minister who is never more than a visiting preacher. The solution of the rural church is consolidation of small nearby-churches in order to unite forces and have a full-time pastor, or to form a field of four churches that will support a pastor for full time and do away with the "annual call." Great pastors who build great churches stay and plan and perform the doing of it. Much could be saved for State Mission work in this way. So much is wasted by scattered endeavors.

Home Missions

14. The record of the Home Mission Board from its organization in 1845 to the present time can hardly be surpassed by any missionary organization in the world. During this period the Board has received and expended $20,500,000. Millions of this were spent in church building and other enterprises, and yet, based on this total, the 785,500 baptisms reported by our home missionaries cost on an average of $25.00 apiece. This is a glorious record of achievement that should inspire our people to gird themselves in the strength of the Lord to go forward.

During the past two years the Home Mission Board has been faced with the necessity of doing its work and meeting its obligations on a constantly decreasing income. However, it has been living within its income and this year paid $81,896 on the principal of its indebtedness. Although the Board has been forced to reduce its mission force no mission field has been abandoned. The work has been blessed of the Lord. Among the foreigners, Indians, Negroes, and in the schools and Good-Will centers our missionaries reported last year a total of 3,128 baptisms.

The Board is interpreting missions to be primarily the making and baptizing of disciples. Its policy is, therefore, to major on preaching the Gospel in Cuba and Panama and to the foreigners, the Indians, the Negroes, and in the congested centers of our homeland. It is for this task that it asks Southern Baptists to enlarge their gifts to Home Missions. There was never a greater need than now. May our Baptist people not be found wanting in this hour when it is "Christ or Chaos."

Foreign Missions

15. The distressing decline in receipts of the Foreign Mission Board during the last two years has been discouraging, but this discouragement

is dispelled quickly when we view the things done abroad. Our missions are prospering wonderfully.

Looking back over the progress of our work during the last twenty-five years we find many evidences of remarkable accomplishment. Then, there were 12,894 members in our churches, whereas in 1931 there were 169,311 members. Our membership multiplied thirteen times. It is worthy of note that we baptized more people last year than we had church members twenty-five years ago.

One of the most specific evidences of growth is shown by the contributions made by the churches abroad. These churches gave for the support of the work last year, $145,000 more than the Southern Baptists gave for the support of the Foreign Mission Board in 1906. With such a spirit as this manifested we are not surprised to get the glad tidings that last year we baptized 16,568, the largest number ever reported on our foreign fields.

We have the secret that will fill all the world with joy, and cause it to ring with the praise of God. Since this is true, shall we halt and turn our back on the world? Shall we call home the messengers we have sent out, or shall we maintain and reinforce them?

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

16. In its report the Education Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention suggest three lines of work facing us in the task of Christian education today. First, how shall we continue to attract and hold students for our Christian colleges? Second, how can we provide sufficient funds to maintain adequate educational plants, libraries, laboratories, and faculties for our Christian schools? Third, how are we to differentiate Christian colleges in fact as well as in theory in this age of indifference to spiritual values? That indifference to spiritual values is invading our homes and even our churches.

The value of the Christian college to kingdom work is generally conceded by the leaders among all Christians. Woodrow Wilson declared: "The Christian college is a lighthouse of Civilization." Another noted leader says: "Christian education is education which finds a life motive and standard in Jesus of Nazareth." There never has been a time when the ideals of Jesus were so demanded as they are now. The college truly devoted to such education has rendered an incalculable service and on its record deserves the support of all men.

As churches we must never forget that ninety per cent of the world's Christian workers come from Christian schools. Our Baptist schools are indispensable for furnishing us our preachers, missionaries, and trained workers. This is the special field of our Christian schools today in the work of the kingdom.

BENEVOLENCES

Hospital

17. Denominational and private hospitals care for 75 per cent of all the patients of this country and spend less than half the money used for this service. Fortunately our hospital belongs to this class that makes a dollar go a long way.

Dr. Lumpkin says that 1931 has been the hardest year and 1932 even worse. Demands for help greatly increase and income from pay patients decrease with the months. Many of the smaller hospitals have been compelled to discontinue taking charity patients and that has increased the number sent to our hospital. At this writing there are many patients in our hospital receiving help and must be cared for or they will die. To meet these conditions the hospital has cut salaries, curtailed expenses, and left off equipment everywhere and yet cannot meet the demands. Our churches must help with the patients they send or the hospital will be compelled to close its doors to the needy sick or go hopelessly in debt. If each church will send $1.50 a day for each patient that it sends, this will take care of the patients, carry the load and keep our hospital out of debt. Dr. Lumpkin appeals to us as follows:

"Fellow Baptists, these are your brothers and sisters. This is your hospital. You built it to care for these very needy sick. Shall we be compelled to quit this charity work, or go out of business in these times that need us most? These people will die now unless we save them. We appeal to you to provide the means to care for them."

Brethren, let us take a worthy offering for this needy cause on Mother's Day, and send our pay patients to our Hospital, one of the best in the land. Let us join hands in the battle for health and life. This is a challenge to us in the name of Christ and sick humanity.

Mills and Kennedy Homes

18. No report of the work of the Mills Home could be made at this time without expressing our deep sorrow of heart occasioned by the tragic loss of our General Manager, Dr. M. L. Kesler, who so recently was killed at a railroad crossing near the Home he loved so well and for which he had given himself so faithfully. Though we cannot understand, yet we bow in submission to Him who alone knows best.

Since last year the population of the Home has changed very little. On June 4, 1932 there were 496 boys and girls in the Mills Home and 136 in the Kennedy Home, making a total of 632. There are now 298 children with 74 mothers cared for in their own homes by Mother's Aid. This makes a grand total of 920 young folks being cared for at present.

These children have their health looked after, are fed, clothed, and educated in school and out of school with a view to their greatest happiness and usefulness. Because of these tragic times of financial stress and strain it is all the more imperative that we do our utmost to support

this work of the Kingdom which is very near and dear to us. But our love must be transformed into that which will actually furnish shelter, food, clothing and proper spiritual, moral and mental training for these needy ones if our love shall prove real before Him who said: "In as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these ye have done it unto me."

Surely every pastor and church in this Association will come to the rescue of these little ones with a collection once a month, and a special Thanksgiving offering to be made in every church and Sunday School at the proper time in November.

Ministerial Relief and Annuities

19. The achievements of the Relief and Annuity Board since its organization, fourteen years ago, are notable and worthy. It is still so new that most of our people know but little about it. Hence we think it well to present the salient facts contained in the Board's report to the Convention at St. Petersburg, Florida, in May last.

First, the Board's assets as of December 31st, 1931, were $3,844,-667.20. There are additional resources from which the earnings are being sent regularly to the Board of approximately $160,000. Thus the total resources are over $4,000,000. The bulk of these resources are in the Annuity Department.

Second, the business affairs of the Board are carefully handled by committees on which are able business and professional men residing in Dallas, Texas. Its funds are invested in sound securities in which there has been practically no default either in interest or principal.

Third, there are 1,514 ministers, missionaries, widows, and orphans aided through the Relief Department, and 211 ministers, missionaries, widows, and orphans who receive annuities. The total benefits received in 1931 amounted to $211,017.59.

Fourth, the Relief and Annuity Board is supposed to receive 7% of South-wide benevolences. Only 3½% of the gifts of our people for South-wide causes actually gets to the Relief and Annuity Board. This is due to the fact that many of our people designate their gifts and so little money is designated to this cause. The Board in its report pleads for a more equitable division of gifts.

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Sunday School

20. In this brief report let us note three things about our Sunday Schools:

First, they are not crime producers. They foster no evil, the scholar from them does not behave himself "unseemingly." Good is the product of his training. While crime is on the increase in this country the criminals do not come from our Sunday schools. Truly, they are of the salt of the earth and the light of the world.

Second, they are not prison feeders nor bootleg breeders. The prisons are full of law-breakers and the woods of bootleggers, but they are not the offspring of our Sunday schools. Truly, the Sunday school is turning "the sinner from the error of his way," and hiding "a multitude of sins."

Third, the Sunday schools are church feeders. They sow the seed and the churches reap the harvest. And herein is the saying true, "One soweth and another reapeth . . . that both . . . may rejoice together."

Baptist Young People's Union

21. The condition of kingdom work today challenges every Baptist church to discover its unclaimed resources, to develop these resources, and to distribute them into channels of usefulness for Christ. Only thus will there be complete obedience to His will, and only thus will there be a conquest of the world for Him. Vast resources of faith, vision, daring, and spiritual energy lie in the young people of our churches.

The Baptist Young People's Union is the organization which aims solely to enlist, train, and use young church members. It enlists them in kingdom interest and activity by appealing to their spiritual, intellectual, and social natures. The B. Y. P. U. trains young people in Bible study, doctrinal belief, missionary endeavor, scriptural giving, and the stewardship of life in general. It not only teaches him to do, but it practices him in the doing.

As pastors, superintendents, and leaders in our Association, let us give ourselves anew to the task of enlisting, training, and utilizing the vast powers in our young Christians, that our present church may be stronger and that our future church may be able to conquer principalities and powers and to cause the kingdom to cover the earth as the waters cover the seas.

BIBLICAL RECORDER

22. The Christian culture of our future North Carolina Baptist homes depends, in no small degree, on the contribution the *Biblical Recorder* is able to make them. People are largely influenced by what they read. The *Biblical Recorder* seeks to bring to our people weekly a summary of our Baptist news, local and general. It seeks to give a Christian and Baptist interpretation to the events of the day. It seeks to give the achievements of our schools, churches, Sunday Schools, B. Y. P. U.'s., W. M. U., and laymen's work. It presents letters from our missionaries at home and abroad, and hence informs the reader of what is being accomplished through their contributions.

The Home Circle offers help for the development of the spiritual and intellectual needs in every young church member. It seeks to present high ideals to our young people, and help in the development of Christian character, which will react for good in the future of our people. Never before was there a time when our boys and girls stood more in need of wholesome literature which will instill high ideals, create a desire for

pure living, and stimulate them in rendering unselfish service. The *Biblical Recorder* seeks to aid at this particular point.

Respectfully submitted,

N. C. COGGIN.

23. Charles B. Deane, Treasurer, presents his report:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rockingham, N. C., October 18, 1932.

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*
In Account With
THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

To amount in Bank, October 17, 1931	$ .01	
To amount collected for Minute Fund	178.37	
To amount collected special offering	53.64	
By amount paid, Ry. Express Co., Express		$ 1.02
By amount paid, Observer Printing Co., Minutes		167.73
By amount paid, Programs		4.00
By amount paid, Mitchell Printing Co., on account		25.00
By amount paid, Mitchell Printing Co., on account		25.00
By amount paid, Clerk, Postage, etc		9.23
By amount paid, Federal Tax checks		.04
	$232.02	$232.02

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer.*

24. On motion to adopt, T. W. Hearne calls to the attention of the Association that the minutes of the Pee Dee Baptist Association for the year 1931 were selected by Dr. E. P. Alldredge, of the Baptist Sunday School Board, as the best minutes in the Southern Baptist Convention, and that they were selected as the best Minutes in the State of North Carolina, both in 1929, and 1930, and upon motion by B. M. Covington the Association extended a rising vote of thanks to Mr. Deane for the efficient and excellent minutes that he is preparing for the Association. The Treasurer's report is adopted with an urgent request by the Moderator that each church pay promptly the Minute Fund, that we may continue to show no deficit.

25. E. M. Brooks, Chairman of the Committee on Committees makes the following report:

Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher: N. C. Coggin, Chairman, V. O. Bryant, T. W. Hearne.

Committee to Plan Program for 1933 Sessions: Bruce Benton, W. H. Moore, and Charles B. Deane.

Committee to Audit Books of Treasurer; L. J. Huntley, W. H. Boggan, and H. B. Humphrey.

26. On motion, the Association elects J. T. Saunders, C. O. Funderburk, and N. H. Shepherd, as members of the Executive Committee for three years, and W. E. Harrison as a member of the Executive Committee to fill out the unexpired term of O. L. Henry.

27. J. B. Willis is duly elected as Delegate to the Baptist State Convention.

28. Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro, Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association responded at this time with an outstanding report on the work of the W. M. U., and upon motion the report is adopted. The work of the W. M. U. is further discussed by W. H. Moore, Dr. Charles E. Brewer, and C. A. Upchurch.

W. M. U. Report

How strange it seems that today we attend the 117th session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association, while last March the woman's division celebrated its thirty-eighth meeting. Just a babe in years when we think of our elder brothers. However throughout these years we leaders have pressed on with an indomitable courage and determination to advance the Kingdom of Christ.

Today we rejoice to report that we have in the thirty churches of the Pee Dee Baptist Association eighteen Woman's Missionary Societies; nine Y. W. A.'s; eleven G. A.'s, seven R. A.'s, and fourteen Sunbeam organizations or a total of fifty-nine organizations. There are other fields yet to be won in the Association and we feel that before the close of another year they too will have joined our ranks.

During the past year we were happy to receive Woman's Missionary organizations from the following churches of the Anson Association, to-wit, Gum Springs, Rocky Mount, and Rocky River. The statistical summary of these churches do not appear on Table VII of our minutes because these churches do not belong to the Pee Dee Baptist Association. It is the desire of our Association that all of the churches of the Anson join with us in the Pee Dee.

Several new organizations were organized in the Pee Dee Association during the year, and among those were Steeles and Pee Dee who have not previously had any type of W. M. U. societies. Truly we have had much to make our hearts glad.

It is with great pleasure that we mention many mountain top experiences in the closing year. Mrs. Carter Wright of Alabama, Field Secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention spent several days in our Association giving freely of her time and talents not to mention her outstanding messages at our Convention. Miss Emma Leachman of Atlanta, Field Secretary of the Home Mission Board and Miss Alva Lawrence of Raleigh, Young People's Leader for North Carolina attended the Anson Divisional meeting and did much to stir our women on to greater goals. They later attended a joint meeting of the Richmond and Scotland organizations which was led by Miss Esther McNeil, Scotland County Divisional Leader.

There has been a decided increase in Mission Study with more mission study classes reported than any previous year. Our Associational Chairman, Mrs. J. M. Davis, Wadesboro, is untiring in her efforts to put this work over in a big way. She has a library of one hundred seventy-five

volumes. These books are loaned to many who feel that they could not buy mission books.

An outstanding feature of the Association W. M. U. work is an annual Girl's Auxiliary Conference. Our third Conference was held last June in Hamlet with one hundred and seventy-five girls attending. A report of this Conference may be found in the Minutes of this year.

We recognize all too well that the general depression has brought about difficulties in reaching our financial aim, yet the interest in missions has not been lessened. I feel that there is being manifested a spirit that will stand fast until these difficult problems are solved.

Since the official year of the Woman's Work does not close until December of this year I give the following figures for the year ending 1931. Total amount paid to Missions $4,060.10; Superintendent traveled one thousand five hundred ninety-one miles; wrote two hundred and thirty-five letters and ninety-three postals; held twenty-seven meetings and visited forty-three societies.

It is my wish that the coming year will bring a greater awakening in the hearts of all our women, together with a realization of their possibilities and privileges for Christian service.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. SHELLEY HORNE ROSE, *Superintendent.*

29. On motion, a report of the Thirty-eighth Annual Session of the W. M. U. which session was held in Morven, March 4, 1932, and a report of the Third Annual Conference of the Girls Auxiliary which session was held in Hamlet, July 1, 1932, Auxiliaries to the Pee Dee Baptist Association, are ordered incorporated within the minutes in the order mentioned.

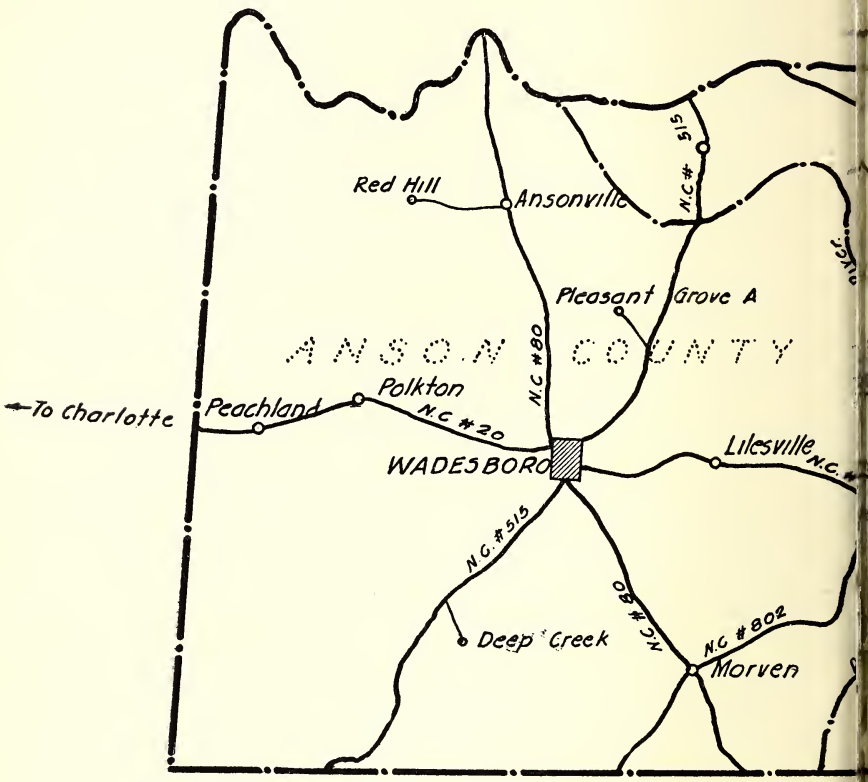
W. M. U. CONVENTION

30. At Morven, on the fourth of March, 1932, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Superintendent, called to order the Thirty-eighth Annual Session of the W. M. U., and Mrs. F. W. Humphrey, led the worship period.

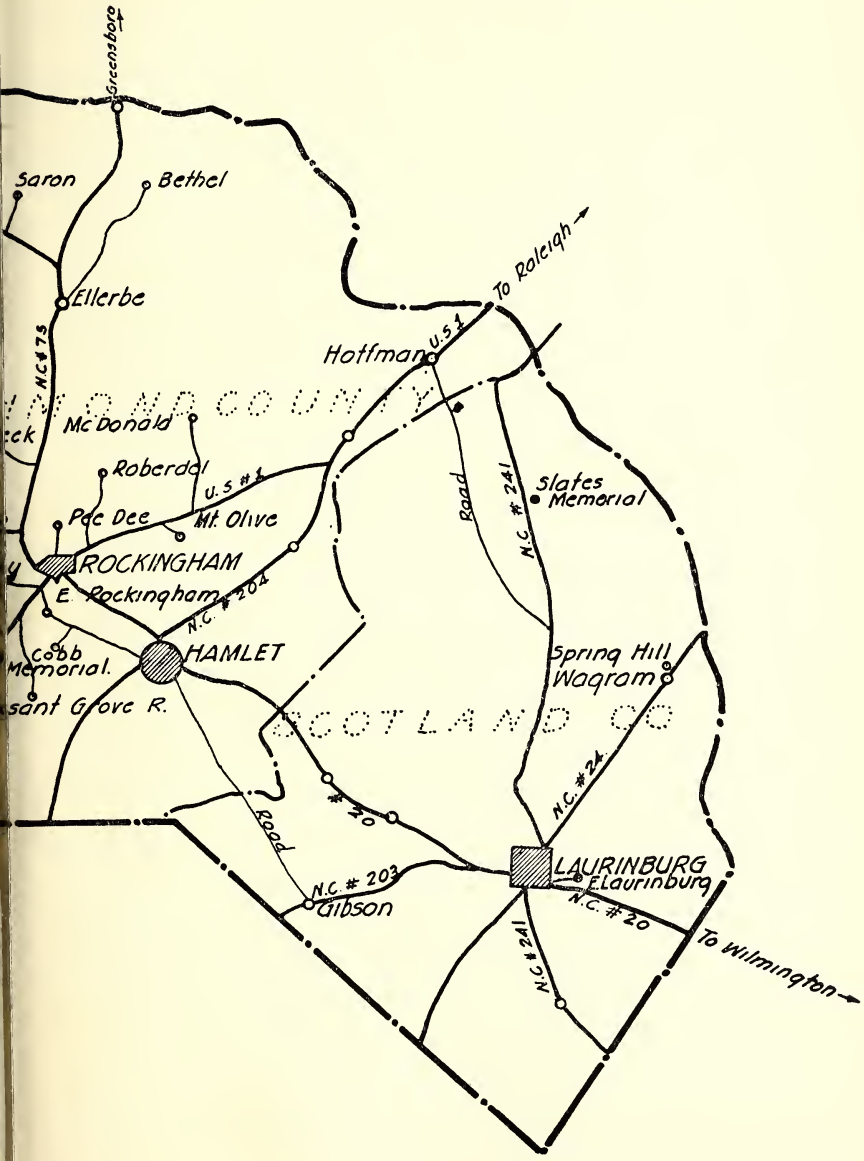
Mrs. Simmons Boyd, Morven, welcomed the visitors to which Mrs. L. O. Pruden, Hamlet, responded, after which the following reports were received: the Personal Service Report was presented by Mrs. L. D. Husbands, which revealed the first class for illiterate children held by the Steele Creek Society; Mrs. Claude Gore in connection with her report on Stewardship made a talk on tithing; the Treasurer's report was read by Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter; Mrs. J. M. Davis, Mission Study Leader gave a report on her work with some practical methods that would help.

At this time Mrs. Rose gave her report for the year which showed that by organizing new societies and reaching other standards she had met the fifteen rules required by the Association as a guide for a Superintendent. The report gave a complete review of the many miles traveled, letters written, the visiting and organization of new societies, all going to show the faithful and efficient work being accomplished by our able leader.

Mrs. H. W. Little sang sweetly, "Because He Loves Me So," fol-



Plat Showing Location of the Thirty Churches in the Pee De



ation. One Hundred Seventeenth Year of its Organization.

lowed by the roll call which numbered three hundred. The expense fund was received and totaled $21.60.

Two feature addresses were given during the morning session by Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg and Mrs. Carter Wright, of Alabama. Mrs. Barrett's personal message was "Step by Step." Mrs. Wright, W. M. U. field worker for the Southern Baptist Convention gave a stirring message on "God's Eternal Temple." It was the opinion of many that these were among the greatest messages ever heard by the Pee Dee W. M. U. Society.

Prior to a Memorial Service for Mrs. Lila Lucas Henry, which was led by Miss Fan Long and Mrs. R. L. Hardison, Mrs. H. W. Little and Mrs. H. B. Allen sang, "Ivory Palaces."

Following the appointment of Committees, Rev. W. H. Moore prayed and the meeting adjourned until the afternoon.

The afternoon session opened with the singing of "Jesus Shall Reign" and a devotional message on "Victory" by Mrs. H. W. McLaurin. Mrs. H. H. Dabbs and Mrs. R. P. Lyon gave a report on the Richmond and Anson Divisions after which Mrs. Coit Redfern gave a helpful talk on "The Need of the Knowledge of the Bible by our Young People."

"Have Thine Own Way Lord" was sung by Mrs. R. S. Pruette; and Mrs. Carter Wright gave another inspiring address on "Stewardship."

The Young People's work Report was given by Miss Hattie Marks, and Miss Louise Watkins, Rockingham, winner of the State Stewardship Contest for Y. W. A.'s was introduced. Mrs. J. B. Willis, gave a further report on the Young Peoples work in Richmond County which report was discussed by Mrs. F. I. Mason.

At this time the Committee Reports were received.

The Committee on place for next meeting recommended Polkton; and the Nominating Committee presented the names of the following as officers for another year, to-wit:

Superintendent, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro; First Vice-President, Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, Laurinburg; Second Vice-President, Mrs. T. B. Liles, Rockingham; Secretary, Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, Wadesboro; Treasurer, Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, Polkton; Young People's Leader, Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. Claude Gore, Rockingham; Personal Service Leader, Miss Fan Long, Rockingham; Division Leaders, Scotland County, Miss Esther McNeil; Anson County, Mrs. L. J. Huntley; Richmond County, Mrs. H. H. Dabbs; Young Peoples Leader Richmond County, Mrs. J. B. Willis. Upon motion both reports were adopted.

Following the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" the convention adjourned.

MRS. BARRINGTON T. HILL, *Secretary.*

GIRL'S AUXILIARY CONFERENCE

31. The Third Annual conference of the Girl's Auxiliary of the Pee Dee Baptist Woman's Missionary Union convened at Hamlet on July 1, 1932. Miss Norma Rose presided.

In opening the Conference the G. A. Watchword, "Arise, shine, thy light is come," was given by the one hundred seventy-five members present, after which Miss Grace Young led the group in the singing of "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus."

Miss Grace Neal Cashwell led the worship period using as her theme the keynote of the Conference, "Torch Bearers." Miss Ruby Barrett prayed. Another special prayer was offered by Mrs. J. M. Davis that the young people of the Association might be real torch bearers.

Words of welcome was spoken by Miss Alice Louise McGirt, Hamlet, to which Miss Neta Blackwelder, Wadesboro, responded. The roll call showed 175 members and ten organizations present with five visitors from Gum Springs of the Anson Association. One R. A. group was represented by three members.

Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham, commended those who had achieved work in the Forward Steps and 16 Maidens, 15 Ladies-in-Waiting, 8 Queens, and 3 Pages were presented.

The Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, presented Miss Pearle Bourne, Associate Young People's Secretary of the W. M. U., who spoke beautifully upon a "Serviceable Life."

Prior to adjournment the following were appointed as a time and place committee for the next Conference, to-wit, Mesdames Henley, Redfern and Miss Ruby Barrett.

The afternoon session opened with Miss Valda Hartsell, Morven, leading the devotional and urging each G. A. girl to pattern her life after the great apostle Paul.

A very effective demonstration was presented at this time by the Wadesboro G. A., which was followed by announcing the winners in the Stewardship Declaration Contest. The winners were: L. C. Cole, Jr., Junior R. A.; Emma Lee Crabtree, Junior G. A.; and Mittie Frank Mason, Intermediate G. A., all being from Rockingham.

Another address was given by Miss Bourne using as her subject, "Girlhood Lifting High the Torch." She explained how the fingers on the hands of a girl who would bear the torch should stand for, on the one hand, prayer, Bible study, mission study, personal service, and giving; the other hand, creed, character, conduct, conversation, and contribution.

Following an appeal by Mrs. J. M. Davis, Associational Mission Study Chairman for more mission study, the time and place committee reported that the next meeting would be held in Laurinburg, the time to be decided upon later. Miss Ruby Barrett, Laurinburg was designated to act as presiding officer for this meeting.

Miss Hattie Marks in the closing minutes urged more of the Young People to attend the Ridgecrest Conference, after which Mrs. J. C. Meigs closed the meeting with prayer.

MRS. SHELLEY HORNE ROSE, *Superintendent.*

32. W. H. Moore prayed and the morning session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourned to lunch served by the Bethel Church membership.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

33. The Association reconvened at 1:30 P.M., with C. E. Ruffin in charge of the song service. Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg, in a most appealing way led the worship period. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, prayed.

34. Each of the chairmen of the various committees appointed at the morning sessions are called upon for their reports.

35. N. C. Coggin, Chairman of the Committtee on Time, Place, and Preacher, reports for the committee as follows: Time, Tuesday after the third Sunday in October, 1933; Place, First Baptist Church Wadesboro; Preacher, W. Emory Trainham, Alternate, N. H. Shepherd. Upon motion, the report is adopted.

36. L. J. Huntley, Chairman of the Committee to audit the books of the Treasurer, reports for the Committee as follows: That we find all funds properly accounted for and that the Association in consideration of the splendid work he is doing pay our Clerk, C. B. Deane, Thirty Dollars for his services. Upon motion the report is adopted.

37. The Executive Committee brought in a special report through A. A. James that a committee be appointed to investigate certain inactive churches in the Association and endeavor to restore them to active membership and if unable to do so to recommend such action by the Association as they desire advisable. A. A. James, the Moderator and Clerk were appointed a Committee to appoint an investigating Committee to carry out the instructions of the Executive Committee. The report upon motion is adopted.

38. A discussion of the Promotion Program and Every Member Canvass was conducted by the Association Chairman, W. Emory Trainham, whereupon Prof. M. A. Huggins, Acting General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention is presented who brought greetings to the Association and speaks about the Denominational Program reporting that general receipts were ten to twenty per cent less from over the State than last year, but that the total receipts from the Pee Dee Association are from three to four per cent more.

39. At this time the Moderator calls for a discussion of the Association Report as read and adopted at the morning session.

40. Home, State, and Foreign Missions were ably discussed by J. C. Meigs, N. H. Shepherd, and J. Marvin Smith respectively.

41. J. B. Willis, introduced first, Dr. Charles E. Brewer of Meredith and then Rev. Coy Muckle, Wingate Junior College, both speaking on Christian Education.

42. O. W. McManus, discusses the work and possibilities of the Baptist Hospital.

43. The Mills Home is ably represented by R. D. Covington, their efficient Treasurer.

44. G. C. Upchurch, representing the *Biblical Recorder,* is presented by W. H. Moore. Brother Upchurch speaks on the *Recorder.*

45. The Sunday School work is presented by E. M. Brooks.

46. The work of the B. Y. P. U. is discussed by Miss Willa Marks the Associational B. Y. P. U. President.

47. President Muckle, Wingate Junior College, makes a plea for any aid that the friends of the college might designate and request the Association to endorse Bruce Benton, Roland S. Pruette, and A. D. Griffin, Trustees of the institution. Upon motion this was done.

48. The Clerk presents a Digest of Letters for the year ending September 30, 1932, as compared with the year ending September 30, 1931.

DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

	1931	*1932*
Received by baptism	212	271
Received by letter	159	203
Received by restoration, etc.	49	33
Total received	420	507
Decreased by letter, inactive, death	277	373
Net increase	143	134
Membership previously reported	5,235	5,597
Total present membership	5,378	5,731
Churches in Association	29	30
New churches received	1	0
Churches reporting	27	29
Churches with pastors	25	27
Churches having prayer meeting	19	15
Churches having Sunday School	27	29
Enrollment of Sunday School	5,173	5,292
Average attendance Sunday School	3,207	3,426
Churches having B. Y. P. U.'s	14	15
Total B. Y. P. U.'s in Association	26	31
Enrollment of B. Y. P. U.'s	617	634
Churches with W. M. U. organizations	18	18
Total W. M. U. organizations in Association	62	59
Enrollment of W. M. U.	1,385	1,331
Churches holding revivals	21	27
Number revivals held	25	33
Churches observing Lord's Supper	20	24
Number observances Lord's Supper	63	68
Families receiving *Biblical Recorder*	208	200
Amount paid pastors in Association	$ 19,161.12	$ 17,154.49
Value Church property	411,150.00	392,150.00
Total gifts local work	43,715.45	38,930.70
Gifts all benevolences	9,458.88	7,209.63
Total all gifts	$ 53,174.33	$ 46,140.33

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

49. On motion of J. B. Willis, the Association expresses its thanks to the ladies and membership of the Bethel Church, who served such a delightful dinner.

50. At 4:30 P. M., the Association, finishing all the business of the session, adjourns. Prayer by E. M. Brooks.

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator,*
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

Our Home-Goers

Who Have Answered The Last Roll Call
Since September 30, 1932

Ansonville—Deacon S. P. Waddell.

Bethel—None.

Cartledge Creek—Deacon A. J. Harrington.

Cobb Memorial—Mrs. L. C. McNair.

Deep Creek—Mrs. Mattie Griggs.

East Laurinburg—Mrs. Daisy Burdell, Mr. Noah Gibson, Mr. Wm. Bullard.

East Rockingham—Mrs. Amanda Maness.

Ellerbe—Mrs. G. W. Carpenter, Mr. W. E. Gaddy.

Gibson—Mr. J. B. Mason, Mr. W. E. Adams.

Hamlet, First—Mrs. J. W. Campbell, Mrs. Ed. Hogan, Mrs. J. W. McGirt.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg, First—Mr. W. H. Griffin, Mr. L. B. Brigman, Mr. Eugene Benton, Mrs. G. H. Russell, Miss Lizzie Hunt.

Lilesville—None.

Midway—None.

Morven—Mr. T. C. Adams, Mr. John N. McLaurin.

Mt. Olive—None.

McDonald—None.

Peachland—Mr. John Watkins, Deacon J. B. Covington.

Pee Dee—Miss Nellie Matheson.

Pleasant Grove (A)—None.

Pleasant Grove (R)—None.

Polkton—Mr. N. R. Parker.

Red Hill—Mr. U. C. Staton, Mr. Marshal Tyson.

Roberdel—Mrs. Dora Baldwin, Mr. Wade Hooker.

Rockingham, First—Mr. S. L. Webb, Miss Lena Ballard.

Saron—Deacon James Alfred Covington.

Slates Memorial—None.

Spring Hill—Mrs. Mary Amanda McMillan.

Steeles—Mr. Lee Garrison, Mrs. Letha Williams.

Wadesboro, First—Deacon H. B. Allen, Mrs. Lila Lucas Henry, Mr. D. C. Tarlton.

THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Benton, Bruce	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Pastor
Biles, H. C.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Saron	Member
Boggan, W. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Boyd, John P.	Morven, N. C.	Morven	Inactive
Brewer, Grady	Star, N. C.	McDonald	Pastor
Brooks, E. M.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Pastor
Coggin, N. C.	New London, N. C.	Ansonville	Pastor
Edwards, Wilbur	East Laurinburg, N. C.	East Laurinburg	Pastor
English, Steve	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Hearne, T. W.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Hilburn, O. M.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Humphrey, H. B.	East Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Knight, Luther	Ruby, S. C.	Ruby	Pastor
Little, Ray	Marshville, N. C.	Red Hill (supply)	Pastor
Meigs, J. C.	Polkton, N. C.	Polkton, N. C.	Pastor
Miller, John R.	Raeford, N. C.	Raeford	Pastor
Moore, W. H.	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wadesboro, First	Pastor
McManus, O. W.	Gibson, N. C.	Gibson	Pastor
Rivenbark, L. J.	Rockingham, N. C., Rt.	McDonald	Member
Ruffin, C. E.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Pastor
Shepherd, N. H.	Lilesville, N. C.	Lilesville	Pastor
Smith, J. Marvin	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Pastor
Summey, J. A.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Member
Trainham, W. Emory	Laurinburg, N. C.	Laurinburg, First	Pastor
Ussery, L. D.	Mt. Gilead, N. C., Rt.	Saron	Pastor
Webb, U. S.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Willis, J. B.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Pastor

MEMBERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Williams, J. Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Student
Oaks, S. H.	Mills Rural Station, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member

ASSISTANTS TO PASTORS

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Hawkins, Mrs. J. H.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Educational Director

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Institution
Williams, J. Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Wake Forest College

B. Y. P. U. OFFICERS, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Association Meeting Held at Another Time

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders and Address*
Ansonville	F. B. Birmingham (I), Rt. 1, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	B. M. Smith (S), Jackson Springs, N. C.
Cartledge Creek	No Report.
Cobb Memorial	No Report.
Deep Creek	B. B. Hester, Director, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
	E. H. Jones (S), Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	No Report.
East Rockingham	No Report.
Ellerbe	Miss Pearl Hogan, Director, Ellerbe, N. C.
	Dexter Freeman (A), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Dexter Freeman (S), Ellerbe, N. C.
	R. L. Freeman (I), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Esther Treece (J), Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Lucy Gibson, Director, Gibson, N. C.
	Miss Roxie Stubbs (S), Gibson, N. C.
	Miss Loyd McNeil (J), Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. Marion Lynch, Director, Hamlet, N. C.
	Carl Austin (S), Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	No Report.
Laurinburg, First	Claude Stewart, Director, Laurinburg, N. C.
	Mrs. W. Emory Trainham (J), Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	J. C. Eakes, Director, Lilesville, N. C.
	Miss Bright Henry (A), Lilesville, N. C .
	Harold H. Deaton (S), Lilesville, N. C.
	Fred Liles (I), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Fred Liles (J), Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	No Report.
Morven	No Report.
Mt. Olive	No Report.
McDonald	Miss Willa Marks, Director, Rockingham, N. C.
	Roy McDonald (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Lena Marks (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Flora McDonald (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland	Miss Eula Belle Faulkner (S), Peachland, N. C.
	Miss Rachel Johnson (I), Peachland, N. C.
	Mrs. May D. Redfern (J), Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	No Report.
Pleasant Grove (A)	No Report.
Pleasant Grove (R)	No Report.
Polkton	Miss Edna Flake (S), Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill	Claude Garris (S), Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	No Report.
Rockingham, First	Miss Hattie Marks, Director, Rockingham, N. C.
	Thomas Young (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Louise Watkins (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Mrs. F. I. Mason (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	No Report.
Slates Memorial	No Report.
Spring Hill	D. W. L. Smith, Director, Wagram, N. C.
	Miss Ersie Moore (A), Wagram, N. C.
	Mrs. A. D. Thomas (J), Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	No Report.
Wadesboro, First	Miss Pauline Cagle, Director, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Dorothy Tice (S), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Hattie Threatt (I), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Eula B. Hough (J), Wadesboro, N. C.

OFFICERS WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Presidents and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. Bessie Staten, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	No Report.
Cartledge Creek	No Report.
Cobb Memorial	No Report.
Deep Creek	Mrs. R. G. Smith, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Mrs. A. W. Bridges, East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. Ada Wilson, East Rockingham, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. C. M. Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Jessie Baxley, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	No Report.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Clara Buie Wall, Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	No Report.
Morven	Mrs. C. D. Thomas, Morven, N. C.
Mt. Olive	No Report.
McDonald	No Report.
Peachland	Mrs. A. D. Griffin, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	Mrs. H. G. Dicks, Rockingham, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (A)	No Report.
Pleasant Grove (R)	No Report.
Polkton	Mrs. J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill	No Report.
Roberdel	Mrs. J. W. Miller, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Mrs. Bruce Benton, Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	No Report.
Slates Memorial	No Report.
Spring Hill	Mrs. Mary Mathews, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	Mrs. J. B. Wilson, Cardova, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.

Divisional Leaders

Anson Division	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.
Richmond Division	Mrs. H. H. Dabbs, Rockingham, N. C.
Scotland Division	Miss Esther McNeil, Gibson, N. C.

OTHER AUXILIARY LEADERS

Sunbeam Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. W. C. Curlee, Ansonville, N. C.
Deep Creek	Mrs. C. R. Leonard, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. Ruby White, Rt. 2, Rockingham, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. J. B. Baucom, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. C. L. Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. C. W. Grandy, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. L. W. Humphrey, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Miss Simmons Boyd, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. May Maness, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Louise Watkins, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. W. R. Bullard, Wagram, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. H. W. Miller, Wadesboro, N. C.

R. A. Leaders

Deep Creek	Mrs. E. Y. Ratliffe, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	J. P. Weatherspoon, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	I. L. McGill, Laurinburg, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. Frank N. Bennett, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Thomas Young, Rockingham, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Miss Pauline Cagle, Wadesboro, N. C.

G. A. Leaders

Deep Creek	Mrs. J. V. Gulledge, Rt. Wadesboro, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. L. G. Jordon (J), Hamlet, N. C.
	Mrs. Z. Vance McGirt (I), Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. C. C. Reese, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Sarah Williamson, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Miss Sarah Thomas, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. E. S. Sinclair, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. Lucy Duncan, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Gladys Mills (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Mrs. Bruce Gore (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. C. C. Green, Wadesboro, N. C.

Y. W. A. Leaders

Ellerbe	Miss Thelma Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. W. H. Webster, Gibson, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Kate Lowder, Lilesville, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Peachland, N. C.

Polkton.....Mrs. R. F. Covington, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First...Miss Netta Poplin, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill.....Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram, N. C.
Wadesboro, First.....Mrs. R. D. Hardison, Wadesboro, N. C.

NOTE—All churches not reporting any of the above auxiliaries are omitted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Name and Address*
Ansonville	Robert Ballard, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	Raymond Jenkins, Ellerbe, N. C.
Cartledge Creek	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham, N. C.
Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham, N. C.
Deep Creek	J. D. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Mrs. Lola Sanford, East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. Mary Bell McKay, Rockingham, N. C.
Ellerbe	Miss Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Marion Lynch, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	Miss Myrtle Simms, Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	C. W. Odom, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Miss Sarah Dabbs, Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	Miss Daisy Pratt, Rt. 1, Rockingham, N. C.
Morven	J. N. Johnson, Morven, N. C.
Mt. Olive	Worth Long, Rockingham, N. C.
McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland	A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	Miss Nellie Dees, Rockingham, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Aycock, Rt. 2, Wadesboro, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (R)	Zack Grice, Rockingham, N. C.
Polkton	Kenneth Lockhart, Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill	K. N. Edwards, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	W. C. Nicholson, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	W. H. McCall, Rockingham, N. C.
Saron	Miss Rosa McRae, Ellerbe, N. C.
Slates Memorial	No Report.
Spring Hill	Eddie Nassif, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	Angus Hawkins, Cardova, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Miss Elizabeth Ross Gathings, Wadesboro, N. C.

THE HISTORICAL TABLE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1816	Richland Creek, Montgomery County		John Culpepper, Sr.	
1817	Cedar Creek (A)			
1819	Bethlehem Meeting House (R)			
1820	Jersey Settlement, Davidson County			
1821	Cartledge Creek (R)			
1822	Rocky River (A)			
1823	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1824	Pine Woods, Rowan County			
1825	Bear Creek			
1872				W. L. Wright
1873	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
1877	Pee Dee, Anson County	W. M. Bostick	W. M. Bostick	Collier Cobb
1883	Mt. Carmel, Montgomery County			
1893	Morven	J. Q. Adams	Dr. E. H. Covington	S. T. Flake
1894	Wadesboro, First	J. F. Tuttle	E. A. Covington	W. D. Webb
1895	Spring Hill	T. S. Wright	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1897	Rockingham, First	W. M. Jones	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1898	Wadesboro, First	Dispensed with	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1899	Ansonville	W. M. Jones	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1901	Polkton	C. L. Greaves	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1902	Pleasant Grove (R)	J. F. Love	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1903	Brown Creek	G. O. Wilhoit	E. A. Covington	W. J. Matthews
1905	Red Hill	E. D. Cameron	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1906	Rockingham, First	Livingston Johnson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1907	Wadesboro, First	W. H. Whitehead	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1908	Laurinburg, First	A. M. Burleson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1909	Peachland	T. G. Wood	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1910	Hamlet, First	Josiah Crudup	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1912	Hoffman	J. F. Davis	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1913	Lilesville	A. T. Howell	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1914	Rockingham, First	W. H. Reddish	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1915	Ellerbe	Bruce Benton	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1916	Wadesboro, First	James Long	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1917	Spring Hill	W. T. Baucom	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1918	Gibson	T. B. Justice	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1919	Hamlet, First	A. C. Hamby	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1920	Cartledge Creek	C. B. Austin	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1921	Wadesboro, First	R. T. Vann	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1922	Saron	J. M. Arnette	W. E. Harrison	W. J. Matthews
1923	Pleasant Grove (A)	J. B. Willis	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1924	Hoffman	C. L. Jackson	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1925	Ansonville	No sermon	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1926	Hamlet, First	E. V. Babb	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1927	Entwistle	J. A. Snow	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1928	Morven	J. F. Hoyle	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1929	Peachland	B. F. Bray	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1930	Rockingham, First	C. E. Ruffin	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1931	Laurinburg, First	J. C. Meigs	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane
1932	Bethel	T. W. Hearne	Bruce Benton	C. B. Deane

Note.—Several years missing which Historian is now working upon.

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Is it in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	Pastors and Postoffices	Days of Meeting	Church Membership										Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
						Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses				Total Present Members				
							Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures or Inactive	Deaths					
1	Ansonville	Town	1886	N. C. Coggin, New London, Rt.	4	98	7	4						1	108	Yes	1	3	6
2	Bethel	Country	1916	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	3	62	4	6	5				1		76	No	1	1	2
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	1820	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1	80	3				9			1	73	No	1	1	5
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	1909	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	4	119		16	6		2		1	1	137	Yes	2	4	2
5	Deep Creek	Country	1816	Luther Knight, Ruby, S. C.	1	166	8	2						1	175	No	1		5
6	East Laurinburg	Village	1911	Wilbur Edwards, East Laurinburg	Each S.	214	2	15			11	10		3	207	Yes	2	4	2
7	East Rockingham	Village	1920	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	Each S.	186	4	11	4	1	6	12		1	187	Yes	2	1	3
8	Ellerbe	Town	1911	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 2, 4	227	6	12			7			2	236	Yes	1	4	3
9	Gibson	Town	1886	O. W. McManus, Gibson	Each S.	99	1	2			3			2	97	Yes	1	4	8
10	Hamlet, First	Town	1890	J. B. Willis, Hamlet	Each S.	865	31	18	1		25			3	887	Yes	1	4	50
11	Hoffman	Town	1910	Without Pastor	None	58		2							60	No			3
12	Laurinburg, First	Town	1879	W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg	Each S.	329	31	16	4		25	3		5	347	Yes	1	4	15
13	Lilesville	Town	1777	N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville	2, 4	198	5	10			7				206	No	1		7
14	Midway	Village	1918	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	2, 3	103	1	2							106	Yes	2		
15	Morven	Town		J. C. Meigs, Polkton	4	167		3			3			2	165	No	1	1	7
16	Mount Olive	Country	1931	W. H. Boggan, Rockingham	1, 3	10	8								18	No	1	1	
17	McDonald	Country	1919	Grady Brewer, Star	2, 4	95	13					25	2		81	No	1	3	3
18	Peachland	Town	1890	E. M. Brooks, Peachland	1, 3	275	9	3			5	2	3	2	275	Yes	1	1	8
19	Pee Dee	Village	1915	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	258	19	5	5	1	16	4		1	267	Yes	2	2	5
20	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	1837	Without Pastor	2	115		1			4				112	No	1		1
21	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	1882	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	1, 3	61	20	2			7				76	Yes	1	1	1
22	Polkton	Town		J. C. Meigs, Polkton	1, 3	160	12	7			3			1	175	No	1	1	4
23	Red Hill	Country	1867	Ray Little, Marshville	3	94	18	9			7	7		2	105	No	1	1	
24	Roberdel	Village	1887	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	2	106					4			2	100	No	1	2	4
25	Rockingham, First	Town	1879	Bruce Benton, Rockingham	Each S.	500	12	20			32			2	498	Yes	1	12	28
26	Saron	Country	1826	L. D. Ussery, Mount Gilead, Rt. 3	1	99	4	1	1		2		44	1	58	No	1	1	2
27	Slates Memorial	Country	1926	No Report 1932		20									20				
28	Spring Hill	Town	1813	John R. Miller, Raeford	1, 3	133	2	3			4			1	133	No	1	2	5
29	Steeles	Village	1900	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	246	27	10		5	16			2	270	Yes	2	2	3
30	Wadesboro, First	Town	1869	W. H. Moore, Wadesboro	Each S.	454	24	23			20		2	3	476	Yes		8	18
	Totals					5,597	271	203	26	7	218	63	53	39	5,731	15	33	68	200

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Is it a Village, Town, City, or Country Church?	Superintendents and Postoffices	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information								
				Officers and Teachers	Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16 Years	Young People, 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll, Under 3 Years	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did You Hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?	Enrollment Daily Vacation School	Average Attendance Daily Vacation School
1	Ansonville	Town	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	9	17	23	14	12	8	28			111	90	No	No		7	No		No		
2	Bethel	Country	B. M. Smith, Jackson Springs	9	11		11	8	22	15			76	50	No	No		2	No		No		
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	W. H. Covington, Rockingham	6	7	8	6	6	40	27			100	60	No	No		3	No		No		
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	O. M. Hilburn, East Rockingham	7	25	25	30	43	30	100			260	200	No	No			No		No		
5	Deep Creek	Country	W. J. Carrick, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	7		10	9			29			55	42	No	No		8	No		No		
6	East Laurinburg	Village	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	12	36	35	75	38	88				284	234	No	No		2	No		No		
7	East Rockingham	Village	Tom Braswell, Mills Rural Station	14	9	38	37	39	58	87			282	225	Yes	No	3	4	No		No		
8	Ellerbe	Town	C. M. Brady, Ellerbe	16	30	25	25	27	25	50			198	123	Yes	No			No		No		
9	Gibson	Town	J. M. Gardner, Gibson	11	5	6	14	17		18	16	31	118	45	Yes	No	3	1	No		No		
10	Hamlet, First	Town	E. P. Pearce, Hamlet	57	54	105	128	107	105	93	30		679	363	Yes	No	40	25	No		No		
11	Hoffman	Town	A. M. Snider, Hoffman	4	5	6	8	12	9	6			50	30	No	No	2		No		No		
12	Laurinburg, First	Town	Claude Stewart, Laurinburg	40	31	41	49	35	7	116	33	15	367	212	Yes	No	12	28	No		No		
13	Lilesville	Town	J. T. Saunders, Lilesville	10	18	17	25	25	35	45			175	106	Yes	No	5	5	No		No		
14	Midway	Village	Clyde Benoist, Rockingham, Rt. 1	9	10	10	10	10	11	15			75	60	No	No			No		No		
15	Morven	Town	John P. Boyd, Morven	12	11	9	20	22	12	22			108	65	No	No	3		No		No		
16	Mount Olive	Country	Oscar P. Long, Rockingham	6	10	12	16			13			57	45	No	No		1	No		No		
17	McDonald	Country	John L. McDonald, Rockingham, Rt. 5	7		13	14	15	22	9			80	39	No	No		13	No		No		
18	Peachland	Town	A. D. Griffin, Peachland	11	20	15	40	20	42	30			178	115	No	No	4	6	No		No		
19	Pee Dee	Village	Jack Humber, Rockingham	13	39	20	21	20	20	55	9		197	170	Yes	No		7	No		Yes	140	105
20	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	E. R. Gilmore, Wadesboro	7	18	8		16		9			58	40	No	No			No		No		
21	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	6	11	15	10	18	20	20			100	65	No	No			No		No		
22	Polkton	Town	S. L. Napier, Polkton	13	17	7	22	9	22	35			125	80	Yes	No	3	10	No		No		
23	Red Hill	Country	G. C. Martin, Wadesboro	7		19		25	45	19			115	86	No	No		15	No		No		
24	Roberdel	Village	E. T. Ballard, Roberdell	7		4	9	8	10	12			50	40	No	No			No		No		
25	Rockingham, First	Town	C. O. Funderburk, Rockingham	30	29	34	44	31	55	46	25	50	344	200	Yes	No	15	12	Yes	75	No		
26	Saron	Country	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	7		14	7	12	20	20			80	67	Yes	No		2	No		No		
27	Slates Memorial	Country	No Report 1932																				
28	Spring Hill	Town	J. M. Watson, Wagram	10	8	12	12	10	15	25	5		97	75	Yes	No		2	No		No		
29	Steeles	Village	L. C. Ross, Cardova	12	27	27	35	42	71	73	15		302	199	Yes	No	1	19	No		Yes	155	129
30	Wadesboro, First	Town	C. C. Green, Wadesboro	46	35	67	82	57	40	132	47	65	571	300	Yes	No	19	16	No		No		
	Totals			405	483	625	773	684	832	1149	180	161	5,292	3426	13	No	110	188	1	75	2	295	234

TABLE III—CHURCH PROPERTY OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Church Clerks and Postoffices	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel if Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Waddell, Ansonville	Yes	1887	Wood	175	5	2	5	$ 3,000.00	$	$	$ 3,000.00	$	$ 2,000.00
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1			2,000.00			2,000.00		
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	Yes		Wood	400	1			1,000.00		2,000.00	3,000.00		
4	Cobb Memorial	Grace Stogner, East Rockingham	Yes	1909	Wood	400	6	6	6	2,700.00			2,700.00	170.00	
5	Deep Creek	Mrs. G. K. Little, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	Yes	1815	Wood	400	3		3	3,600.00			3,600.00		
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	Yes	1916	Wood	500	7	7	7	5,000.00			5,000.00		3,500.00
7	East Rockingham	Cassie White, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	800	13	3	13	6,000.00		3,000.00	9,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	Yes	1913	Wood	600	12	12	12	5,500.00		2,000.00	7,500.00		2,000.00
9	Gibson	W. H. Webster, Gibson	Yes	1920	Brick	400	10	2	11	24,000.00			24,000.00	8,000.00	12,000.00
10	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	Yes	1916	Brick	600	47	5	42	50,000.00		5,000.00	55,000.00		20,000.00
11	Hoffman	Frank Butler, Hoffman	Yes	1912	Wood	300	5	3	4	3,000.00			3,000.00		1,500.00
12	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	Yes	1928	Brick	500	30	6	30	58,000.00		6,000.00	64,000.00	14,000.00	
13	Lilesville	James T. Farlow, Lilesville	Yes	1872	Wood	400	3	2	1	4,000.00		2,500.00	6,500.00		2,500.00
14	Midway	J. W. Copeland, Rockingham	Yes	1918	Wood	300	5	1	4	3,500.00			3,500.00		
15	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	Yes	1908	Brick	400	8	2	5	8,000.00			8,000.00		2,000.00
16	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	Yes	1890	Wood	100	1			500.00			500.00		
17	*McDonald	Pearl Davis, Rockingham, Rt. 5	*Yes	1920	Wood	350	1			*					
18	Peachland	Van O'Bryant, Peachland	Yes	1918	Brick	500	1			8,000.00			8,000.00		
19	Pee Dee	L. L. Thrower, Rockingham	Yes	1915	Wood	600	11	4	10	5,500.00			5,500.00	95.00	4,000.00
20	Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Allen, Wadesboro	Yes	1837	Wood	500	1			3,000.00			3,000.00		
21	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	Yes	1882	Wood	300	3			2,000.00			2,000.00		
22	Polkton	Miss Lelia Goodman, Polkton	Yes	1926	Brick	400	10	3	10	6,000.00		1,200.00	7,200.00	160.00	
23	Red Hill	Miss Mary Pope, Wadesboro	Yes	1867	Wood	500	1			1,500.00			1,500.00		
24	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	Yes	1887	Wood	300	4	5	4	2,500.00		150.00	2,650.00		1,000.00
25	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	Yes	1912	Brick	250	16	6	23	20,750.00		16,750.00	37,500.00	13,500.00	30,600.00
26	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	Yes	1878	Wood	200	5	5	5	2,000.00			2,000.00		
27	Slates Memorial	No Report for 1932													
28	Spring Hill	A. H. McMillan, Laurinburg, Rt.	Yes	1916	Brick	300	7	6	6	8,000.00		2,000.00	10,000.00		
29	Steeles	Virginia Pittman, Cardova	Yes	1900	Wood	400	9	11	8	5,000.00			5,000.00		4,000.00
30	Wadesboro, First	Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro	Yes	1928	Brick	450	47	6	42	95,000.00	500.00	12,000.00	107,500.00	28,000.00	37,400.00
	Totals		29			11,625	273	97	251	$339,050.00	$500.00	$52,600.00	$392,150.00	$64,925.00	$124,500.00

*McDonald Church Built 1920 Destroyed by Cyclone October 12, 1932

TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	For Support of Local Church Work											
			Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total Given by All W.M.U. Organizations*	Total Given by the Sunday School*	Grand Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$ 195.00	$	$ 20.00	$	$ 131.77	$ 66.26	$	$ 5.50	$ 8.25	$ 67.28	$ 74.51	$ 426.78
2	Bethel	W. H. Pusser, Ellerbe	75.00					27.14		4.00	15.20	5.03	37.31	121.34
3	Cartledge Creek	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham	200.00			163.77	12.00	21.81	35.00	5.00	5.00		197.47	442.58
4	Cobb Memorial	Charles Jones, East Rockingham	174.00			170.00		78.34	10.00	4.25			10.00	436.59
5	Deep Creek	E. Y. Ratliffe, Rt., Wadesboro	125.00		22.00		3.00	26.03	40.00	5.00	1.45	87.45	19.13	222.48
6	East Laurinburg	Jas. D. Hildreth, East Laurinburg	381.29		23.00	10.50	75.50	144.85	13.85	6.00	18.60			673.59
7	East Rockingham	Tom Brooks, Rockingham	537.35		50.00	75.00	96.00	102.00		6.00				866.35
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	800.00		40.00	500.00	158.95	158.91	128.44	7.00		100.00	207.67	1,793.30
9	Gibson	W. H. Webster, Gibson	600.00		30.00	178.49	50.00			6.00				864.49
10	Hamlet, First	B. R. Carroll, Hamlet	3,200.00	740.00	89.00	428.00	782.00	425.00	107.00	20.00	168.00		425.00	5,959.00
11	Hoffman	E. E. Maynard, Hoffman												
12	Laurinburg, First	J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg	2,300.00		257.00	3,489.61	471.82	331.21	10.00	15.00	37.02	171.53	322.59	6,911.66
13	Lilesville	T. B. Seago, Lilesville	400.00		27.50	17.35	75.50	46.52		6.25	15.00		100.52	588.12
14	Midway	J. W. Engle, Rockingham, Rt. 1	30.11		3.51		1.50	20.02		3.50				58.64
15	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	400.00		21.20		77.29	59.76		6.25	2.00	2.00	110.80	566.50
16	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	50.00		25.00		23.50			3.00				101.50
17	McDonald	Roy L. McDonald, Rockingham	160.00		10.00	1.50	3.00	25.07		3.50				203.07
18	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	226.52		38.77		163.57	60.12		7.25	12.00	14.00	58.12	508.23
19	Pee Dee	Jack Humber, Rockingham	858.00		40.00	61.07	125.90	40.02	30.91	5.00	194.01			1,354.91
20	Pleasant Grove (A)	W. T. Garris, Wadesboro			35.00					5.00				40.00
21	Pleasant Grove (R)	Will Campbell, Rockingham	300.00		17.07			65.00		5.00				387.07
22	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	500.00		170.00	65.00	50.00			5.00				790.00
23	Red Hill	G. C. Martin, Wadesboro	72.25		18.50	10.00		21.12		4.50	4.00		25.12	130.37
24	Roberdel	W. C. Nicholson, Roberdell	200.00				29.50	52.10		6.00	9.19			296.79
25	Rockingham, First	Claude Gore, Rockingham	2,046.75	250.00	50.64	1,862.40	503.85	418.91	49.00	16.00	95.87			5,293.42
26	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	93.82	3.75	18.00		5.00	21.32		4.00				145.89
27	Slates Memorial	No report 1932												
28	Spring Hill	Johnson Matthews, Wagram	600.00				33.00	74.84		6.50			74.84	714.34
29	Steeles	I. B. Pittman, Cardova	829.40	71.95	89.30	24.60	188.33	82.40	229.54	7.00				1,522.52
30	Wadesboro, First	Joe M. Liles, Wadesboro	1,800.00	75.00	147.00	4,161.59	919.51	313.13	67.44	15.00	12.50			7,511.17
	Totals		$17,154.49	$1,140.70	$1,242.49	$11,218.88	$3,980.49	$2,681.88	$721.18	$192.50	$598.09	*$447.29	*$1,663.08	$38,930.70

*These items have been included in various items for support of Local Church and not intended to be included in final total.

TABLE V—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION, AND ALL BENEVOLENCES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Total to Co-operative Program	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Other Special Gifts	Total for All Missions Education and Benevolence by the Church Only	Total Given by W. M. U. Organizations*	Total Given by the Sunday School*	Grand Total for Missions and Benevolences Given by the Church and All Departments
1	Ansonville	$ 21.05	$ 10.20	$ 4.35	$	$ 2.35	$ 37.75	$ 2.50	$	$ 4.85	$ 83.05	$ 37.15	$ 40.90	$ 509.83
2	Bethel	11.53			5.79	21.07	1.25				39.64		24.01	160.98
3	Cartledge Creek	1.00	3.66	2.33	2.33		35.73	13.87			58.92		43.07	501.50
4	Cobb Memorial	10.00					35.38				45.38			481.97
5	Deep Creek	17.07		.65	.80	10.69					29.21	18.52	10.69	251.69
6	East Laurinburg	69.70					55.70				125.40	55.00	55.70	798.99
7	East Rockingham	10.00					15.00	5.00			30.00			896.35
8	Ellerbe	69.25	8.55	12.25	8.75		76.93	32.21		10.65	218.59	89.85	94.29	2,011.89
9	Gibson	107.96		3.00			25.15	5.55	7.10		148.76	63.11		1,013.25
10	Hamlet, First	1,788.00	69.00	29.00	66.00	102.00	418.00	40.00		16.00	2,528.00	1,211.00	645.00	8,487.00
11	Hoffman													
12	Laurinburg, First	509.68	98.54	50.95	80.66	35.00	171.60			62.00	1,008.43	210.13	227.12	7,920.09
13	Lilesville	56.73		5.00			118.11	8.52			188.36	70.25	86.61	776.48
14	Midway													58.64
15	Morven	26.11	9.05	3.85	3.85	5.00	55.04	1.00		4.50	108.40	37.96	70.44	674.90
16	Mount Olive													101.50
17	McDonald	6.60					5.00				11.60		5.00	214.67
18	Peachland	50.55					9.00	2.00			61.55	44.05	11.00	569.78
19	Pee Dee	44.62					47.50	22.50		45.00	159.62			1,514.53
20	Pleasant Grove (A)													40.00
21	Pleasant Grove (R)	8.00	4.50	1.00	1.00		20.75	1.50			36.75			423.82
22	Polkton	50.00				10.00	35.00	5.40			100.40			890.40
23	Red Hill						7.00				7.00			137.37
24	Roberdel	22.60					17.75				40.35	27.60	12.75	337.14
25	Rockingham, First	378.50	45.57	18.90	8.50	48.00	149.56	20.56	1.00	15.50	686.09	296.62		5,979.51
26	Saron	24.57					16.49				41.06		6.49	186.95
27	Slates Memorial													
28	Spring Hill	50.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.00	57.55	25.00			197.55			911.89
29	Steeles	49.02					42.60			21.50	113.12	12.50		1,635.64
30	Wadesboro, First	500.00	87.82	60.25	44.30		328.37	42.00		79.66	1,142.40	198.94	418.46	8,653.57
	Totals	$ 3,882.54	$ 351.89	$ 206.53	$ 236.98	$ 254.11	$ 1,782.21	$ 227.61	$ 8.10	$ 259.66	$ 7,209.63	$*2,372.68	$*1,751.53	$46,140.33

*These totals included in total for Co-operative Program and all specials.

Table VI—B. Y. P. U.'s of Pee Dee Baptist Association, State of North Carolina, for Year Ending September 30, 1932

Index Number	Churches	Does church have General B.Y.P.U. Organization?	The Young People's Work															
			Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Number Taking B.Y.P.U. Study Course	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Students in College from Your Church
1	Ansonville				1		1				17		17				
2	Bethel			1			1			14			14				
3	Cartledge Creek																
4	Cobb Memorial																
5	Deep Creek	1		1			1			32			32	19			1
6	East Laurinburg																
7	East Rockingham																
8	Ellerbe	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	6	23	10	21	60	67	23	21	
9	Gibson	1		1		1	2			17		20	37	19	30	22	1
10	Hamlet, First	1		1			1			40			40	16			15
11	Hoffman																
12	Laurinburg, First	1				1	1					30	30	20	20	20	5
13	Lilesville	1	1	1	1	1	4		8	11	13	11	43		27	20	1
14	Midway																
15	Morven																4
16	Mount Olive																
17	McDonald	1		1	1	1	3			14	14	12	40	18	18	5	
18	Peachland			1	1	1	3			16	18	20	54		15	11	
19	Pee Dee																
20	Pleasant Grove (A)																
21	Pleasant Grove (R)																
22	Polkton			1			1			20			20	3		3	2
23	Red Hill			1			1			52			52	16	12		
24	Roberdel																
25	Rockingham, First	1		1	1	1	3			20	35	25	80	37	41	41	7
26	Saron																
27	Slates Memorial																
28	Spring Hill	1	1			1	2		25			15	40				
29	Steeles																
30	Wadesboro, First	1		1	1	1	3			28	24	23	75		29	31	5
	Totals	10	3	12	7	9	31	1	39	287	131	177	634	215	215	174	41

Table VII—Woman's Work of Pee Dee Baptist Association, State of North Carolina, for Year Ending September 30, 1932

Index Number	Woman's Work											
	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W.M.U. Organizations	W.M.S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R.A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses
1	1				1	2	16				22	38	
2													
3													
4													
5	1		1	1	1	4	16		25	10	30	81	
6	1					1	25					25	
7	1				1	2	10				20	30	
8	1	1			1	3	17	12			15	44	
9	1	1		1	1	4	10	8		5	21	44	10
10	1		2	1	1	4	140		37	19	30	226	
11													
12	1	1	1	1	1	6	95	14	42	8	18	177	34
13	1	1	1		1	4	25	20	7		20	72	
14													
15	1		1		1	3	23		10		10	43	
16													
17													
18	1	1	1		1	4	19	12	18		45	94	
19	1					1	15					15	
20													
21													
22	1	1	1	1	1	5	27	8	10	6	20	71	15
23													
24	1					1	18					18	
25	1	1	2	1	1	6	68	9	30	12	20	139	9
26													
27													
28	1	1			1	3	30	8			10	48	19
29	1					1	15					15	
30	1	1	1	1	1	5	76	25	20	12	18	151	28
	18	9	11	7	14	59	645	116	199	72	299	1,331	115

John R Miller, Rayford NC

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(Who is Jesus of Nazareth)
Matt. 16 + 17

20 who give more than
last year to benevolence

J R Miller
W R Baxter
Marion Smith
Rosalinde Promathian

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DUANE BAUCOM, *Chorister*.....Ellerbe, N. C.
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LESTER WILLIAMSON, *Richmond District Leader*.....Ellerbe, N. C.
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T. D. FLACK, *Superintendent Group 4*.....Wadesboro, N. C.

W. M. U. CONVENTION

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MRS. BRUCE GORE, *Stewardship*.....Rockingham, N. C.
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MRS. O. W. MCMANUS, *Scotland Division President*.....Gibson, N. C.

Delegate Baptist State Convention—T. W. HEARNE...Rockingham, N. C.
Associational Missionary—None.
Standing Committees—None.
Laymen's Movement—None.
B. Y. P. U., Sunday School, and W. M. U., Conventions meet on other dates.
Officers Baptist Schools or other institutions—None.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

1933 Session

Ansonville—Mrs. Nell S. Young, N. C. Coggin, Mrs. M. T. Ballard, E. G. Kimbrough.

Bethel—Miss Winnie McCracken, Miss Irene Stuart, C. H. Hartsell.

Cartledge Creek—W. H. Covington, Mrs. G. H. Kelly, Mrs. J. B. Biddix, Mrs. H. B. Hadley.

Cobb Memorial—W. F. Grant.

Deep Creek—E. G. Jones, Mrs. B. B. Hester, G. L. Tucker, Mrs. W. C. Webb.

East Laurinburg—R. D. English, Jack Penny, Mrs. A. W. Bridges.

East Rockingham—John White, John Maness, H. B. Humphrey.

Ellerbe—Lester Williamson, Mrs. P. F. Craver, Newland Baucom.

Gibson—Miss Lucy Gibson, O. W. McManus, Miss Esther McNeill.

Gum Springs—Mrs. B. Hedrick, Mrs. Herbert Ward, Mrs. Edith McQuage, A. R. Brothers.

Hamlet, First—E. P. Pearce, R. M. Adams, M. S. Lynch, Mrs. M. S. Lynch.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg, First—A. A. James, Mrs. R. A. Manship, Mrs. W. E. Trainham, L. B. Stutts, O. C. Finnigan.

Lilesville—Roy Long, T. B. Seago, J. E. Diggs.

Midway—J. Marvin Smith.

Morven—E. B. Vaughn, Mrs. J. P. Boyd, J. C. Bailey, Mrs. N. P. White.

Mt. Olive—R. L. Dawkins, Pleasant Long, W. B. Long.

McDonald—Miss Lena Marks, Roy McDonald, Ben Ussery.

Peachland—A. D. Griffin, Allen Brooks, J. W. Thomas, Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Pee Dee—A. C. Phifer, L. L. Thrower, M. R. Soloman, Elvie R. Cox, T. P. Seago.

Pleasant Grove (A)—E. R. Gilmore, C. B. Allen, W. T. Garris.

Pleasant Grove (R)—W. F. Campbell, Zack Grice, Don Deberry.

Polkton—R. M. Flake, Roe McLester, Mrs. J. C. Meigs.

Red Hill—Mrs. Brady Martin, J. B. Pope, Miss Fannie Lou Pope.

Roberdel—J. F. Haigler, E. B. Hudson, Mrs. Sallie Dunn.

Rockingham, First—W. D. Long, T. C. McManus, C. O. Funderburk, Mrs. Lucy Shores, Mrs. Blanche Palmer.

Saron—J. D. Covington, Mrs. J. D. Covington, A. H. Wright.

Spring Hill—Monroe McMillan, Mrs. John Watson, Fuliford, McMillan.

Steeles—Miss Elizabeth Lunceford, Mrs. O. D. Bland, Miss Flossie Spittle, S. H. Honeycutt.

Wade—F. H. Head, D. P. Clark.

Wadesboro, First—Mrs. W. H. Moore, Miss Pauline Cagle, B. M. Covington, H. B. Allen, Jr., Mrs. Shelly Rose, J. F. Thomas.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be called the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

ARTICLE 2. This Association shall be composed of messengers elected annually by the Baptist churches co-operating with this Association.

ARTICLE 3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected as the first item of business after reading letters and enrollment of messengers, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE 4. The objects of this Association are Missionary, Educational and Benevolent, together with the deeper fellowship and larger Christian usefulness of all who co-operate with it.

ARTICLE 5. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

ARTICLE 6. The churches co-operating with this Association shall send by the hands of their messenger, a full account of all work done by them during the year, and all such statistics and information as will be interesting and helpful.

ARTICLE 7. This Association shall meet once a year at such time and place as may be agreed upon by the preceding session, or by its Executive Board.

ARTICLE 8. The Association shall elect a Promotion-Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association. Each member to be recommended by his church and elected by the Association for a term of one year. The officers of the Association and the Ministers of the churches are to be *ex-officio* members of this Committee. Eleven members present shall constitute a quorum of this Committee.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint some one to write a report of the whole Co-operative Program; and it shall be the duty of the Program Committee to appoint a leader to speak on each phase of the work. And it shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint a committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next session, and to make all nominations for officers and executive committees.

ARTICLE 10. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers attending such meeting: *Provided,* that notice of such change shall have been given during the first sitting of said meeting after permanent organization.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.

3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.

4. Unbrotherly remarks and personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.

5. The parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Wadesboro, North Carolina

October 17, 1933

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION

October 17, 1933 at 9:30 A.M.

1. Prior to the convening of the one Hundred Eighteenth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association, meeting in the new Sunday School auditorium of the First Baptist Church at Wadesboro, D. P. Clark, Wadesboro, led the Association in the singing of "He Leadeth Me", with Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro, at the piano.

2. Bruce Benton, Moderator of the last session, calls the Association to the transaction of business.

3. The opening worship period is led by J. Marvin Smith, East Rockingham Baptist Church. Before he read a portion of the 3rd Chapter, 1st Corinthians, E. M. Harris, Norwood, prayed. Luther Knight, Deep Creek Baptist Church led the Association again in prayer.

4. Charles B. Deane, Clerk, is designated a committee on enrollment.

Enrollment: Complying with the Constitution and upon roll call reports from all of the thirty churches in the Association were reported having filed their church letters prior to the Association date and each church represented by messengers, except Hoffman. It was determined that 300 or more people had registered for the sessions. The chair ruled that this enrollment constitute the Association.

5. Moderator Benton gives out the following Committees.

Nominating Committee: O. W. McManus, *Chairman*, Jno. R. Miller, W. H. Moore.

Committee on Committees: B. M. Covington, *Chairman*, T. W. Hearne, C. E. Ruffin.

6. Among the visitors present and responding were: Rev. E. M. Harris, Biblical Recorder, Norwood; Mr. I. G. Greer, General Manager, The Mills Home, Thomasville; Dr. Arch C. Cree, Representing the General Board, Salisbury; and Mr. Wm. J. Russell.

7. On request of the Moderator, the Clerk places before the Association applications from the Wade Baptist Church, Wadesboro, of the Anson Association and the newly organized Cognac Baptist Church, Cognac, for admission into the Pee Dee Baptist Association. Following the reading of these applications for admission A. R. Brothers, Rockingham, Pastor of the Gum Springs Baptist Church, makes oral request that this church be given membership in the Pee Dee. It was the wish of the Association that these three applications be placed with the Committee on Committees for disposition. (See page 18, section 30).

8. Treasurer Charles B. Deane, presents his report:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rockingham, N. C.,
October 17, 1933.

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*
In Account With
THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

To amount in Bank, October 18, 1932	$ .00	
To amount collected for Minute Fund	175.65	
By amount paid, Ry. Express Co., Express		$ 1.45
By amount paid, Seeman Printery, Inc., Minutes		114.00
By amount paid, postage, paper, 1932 programs		11.24
By amount paid, Clerk, salary		35.00
By amount paid, material, stand for chart		2.25
By amount paid, paper, 1933 programs		1.50
By amount paid, painting chart		2.00
By amount paid, Federal Tax, checks		.16
To amount in Farmers Bank & Trust Co., this date		8.05
	$175.65	$175.65

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer.*

Upon motion by B. M. Covington the Association orders the report accepted and referred to the Auditing Committee.

9. The report of the Nominating Committee is placed before the Association by the Committee Chairman and on motion by O. W. McManus the following officers were unanimously elected for the present session: Moderator, Bruce Benton, Rockingham; Vice-Moderator, Benjamin M. Covington, Wadesboro; Clerk and Treasurer, Charles B. Deane, Rockingham; and Historian, E. M. Brooks, Peachland.

10. Under miscellaneous it is called to the attention of the Association by the Moderator of the desire of General Secretary M. A. Huggins, Raleigh for the election of a Promotion-Executive Committee to act in place of the present Executive Committee. Moreover, J. B. Willis, Hamlet Baptist Church, makes due motion, authorizing and as required

under the Constitution, for the appointment of a Committee to bring in the suggested change in the Constitution to enable the election of a Promotion-Executive Committee. The motion carries.

11. The appointment follows by the Moderator of Claude Gore, Chairman J. B. Willis and E. M. Brooks, as the Committee to bring in the suggested change in the Constitution. (See page 18, section 31).

12. Rev. W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg Baptist Church, the appointee, is asked to bring at this time the introductory sermon. Prior thereto the Association sang, "Faith of our Fathers."

Brother Trainham preached a great sermon from the text, Luke 8:25, "Where is your Faith." He said—"Trusting Jesus in the physical realm requires a larger faith than a mere doctrinal assent of His Saviourhood. A troubled world needs to see disciples practice his conscious presence. Only through this faith will God's people ultimately triumph."

T. W. Hearne offered prayer.

13. The Associational Report covering all objects is splendidly and effectively presented by Rev. O. W. McManus, Gibson Baptist Church. Upon motion by John R. Miller the report is adopted and follows herewith:

THE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

We are living in a peculiar age. Things are rapidly changing. No one can tell the outcome. We hope it is all for the better. However the Bible assures the triumph of truth, the promise of Christ, and the power of the Lord. Therefore we plan our work and make our report in faith.

CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

What is it? Briefly, it is the unified budget. It provides a plan through which each Baptist and each church may share in giving to the entire Kingdom's work.

The plan. Paul outlines it in the New Testament: "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him."

The results. It seems to be the most effective method used. It grows each year in favor and results with Southern Baptist.

MISSIONS

14. Perhaps for convenience we still divide Missions into State Missions, Home Missions, and Foreign Missions. But it is one and the same; it is Christ's plan of evangelizing the world.

State Missions

15. The rapid growth of Baptists in North Carolina for the past one hundred years is due in large measure to the work of State Missions. Its history reads like the book of Acts. Last year one church, which

in earlier years was aided by State Missions, gave as much for all objects as was given by twenty-five entire associations. Growth is seen in every section. However at present some of the work being done by State Missions is being discontinued on account of funds. Let us hope the work will be discontinued only for a short time. Let us hope we are only in the beginning of State Mission work and that the next one hundred years will witness a far more marvelous growth than the past one hundred years.

Home Missions

16. It is almost a tragedy that the Home Mission Board is burdened with debt. Last year the Board paid on the principal of its debt $89,357.61, making a total paid on the debt $690,378.11. This reduces the debt from $2,364,380.91 to $1,674,002.80. Although burdened with debt the Board did a great work last year. Our missionaries reported 2,544 baptisms among the Foreigners, Indians, negroes and Cubans.

The field of Home Mission work is as follows: Evangelism, Enlistment, Stewardship, Missions to the city, Foreigners, Indians, Jews, Mountain people, negroes, Cuba, Central America, and enlistment among country churches. What a great work the Board is trying to do.

Foreign Missions

17. Each year our churches give less to Foreign Missions. For 1933 we are giving about ¼ less than in 1932, and in 1932 we gave ¼ less than we gave in 1930. As a result we have been forced to close some of our schools and seminaries, abandon some of the preaching places, cut off workers, and make retrenchment in almost all the Foreign Mission work. Also thirty Foreign Missionaries home on furlough could not be sent back, thirty-two who were entitled to come home were asked to remain on the Foreign Field, and numbers of graduates offering themselves for service could not be accepted.

Our debt. It hangs heavy over us. We reduced it last year only about $30,000.00. Each year we pay about $65,000.00 interest.

However great progress is being made on the Foreign Field. There is substantial growth in many ways. A great wave of evangelism is sweeping over the churches. There were reported last year 17,284 baptisms. This is the largest number ever reported in one year.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

18. Education helps to shape ideals. Baptist ideals can be shaped among our Baptist boys and girls only as they are educated in schools and colleges conducted under Baptist sentiment and ideals.

If Baptist people would send out certain questions to the professors of various schools they would see a great difference in the answers of Baptist teachers and the answers of many others. Let the question be these: 1. Do you believe there is a God? 2. Do you believe the Bible is

God's word? 3. Do you believe that Jesus is the Divine Son of God born of a Virgin? 4. Do you believe that He died on the Cross to take away the sins of the world? 5. Do you believe that salvation is obtained only by turning away from sin and accepting Christ as Lord and Saviour? 6. Have you turned from your sins and accepted Him as your Saviour? 7. Have you been baptized into His name and united yourself with His people for the purpose of extending His Kingdom in all the earth? If such questions were asked perhaps our Baptist schools would be full and overflowing.

These schools have shown two reasons for their existence; educational and religious. They offer culture plus Christian character. They should have our support in money and boys and girls.

BENEVOLENCES

Mills and Kennedy Homes

19. There are 633 children in the Orphanage. 215 children with 55 mothers are being aided in their own homes. A total of 848 children and 55 mothers in our care. Each month they get from 50 to 100 applications. Most of these are not accepted for lack of room. The cost to care for this number averages near $425.00 per day. The cost per month per child is $20.25. The best plan to provide this fund is the once a month offering in the Sunday School. We urge and recommend that plan.

Hospital

20. For ten years our Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem has been doing service for the sick. $250,000.00 spent for charity and 10,000 people given life and health. No one has been turned away. But to do this the Hospital has been compelled to go into debt. Appeals come from people with bleeding hearts and sad homes. They are suffering with disease, and they have no money, neither can they borrow. The Hospital is their refuge. It must take them. But it can not do so with decreasing revenue. May the churches be aroused to the sad fact that they have long neglected this Christian service practiced by Christ Himself and given in the plan of His command for His followers.

Sunday School and B. Y. P. U

21. These are the hands of the Church. They go out into the byways and hedges and compel the people to come in. They beckon, welcome, teach, Christianize, enlist, enlarge, and train. These already have our support. We rejoice in them and pray that they may increase in service and power.

Ministerial Relief and Annuity

22. The most neglected benevolent work is, the failing to provide for the old or disabled minister. Would that in some way something would be done so that every disabled minister could have the necessities and comforts of life. This Board is trying to do that. There are two divisions of this work, relief and annuities. The relief provides for

those whose churches have failed to do so. But the funds for this work is not sufficient. The community work is trying to provide to meet all needs sufficiently for old age of the ministers and their widows.

BIBLICAL RECORDER

23. There are 5,731 Baptists in the Association. There are 156 subscribers to the *Biblical Recorder*. 96 of these subscriptions are in arrears. There are only 60 paid up subscriptions to the *Biblical Recorder* in the entire Association. That means only one Baptist out of every 95 who are really supporting the paper. And it is needed in the home today more than ever before. The weekly and daily press not only fail often to speak favorably of Christianity, but too often speak slightly about it. Therefore we need it for the right interpretation of truth. We need it for inspiration. We need it for information. We need it for indoctrination. Our goal should be the *Biblical Recorder* in every Baptist home in the Pee Dee Association.

SOCIAL AND MORAL CONDITIONS

24. This is bad. Recklessness, greed, drunkenness, immorality, robbery, banditry, oppression, pleasure, worldliness, murder, and suicides are characteristic of this age. It has almost made wrecks of our commercial world. It has lowered the spiritual vitality of the religious world. It makes it harder to save people. But let us remember that righteousness will triumph. Let us also remember that all things shall pass away but faith, hope, and love. May we then be true in carrying out His command remembering that He said, "And lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world."

Respectfully submitted,

O. W. McMANUS.

25. Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro, Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association responded at this time with a summary of the accomplishments of the W. M. U.

26. On motion, the proceedings of the Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the W. M. U., which session was held with the Polkton Baptist Church, on March 3, 1933, together with the program of the G. A. and R. A. Annual Meeting, as presented at the Laurinburg Baptist Church, on May 30, 1933, are ordered incorporated within the minutes in the order mentioned.

PROCEEDINGS

Thirty-ninth Annual Session

27. **WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

POLKTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Polkton, North Carolina

March 3, 1933

The Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association was held at the Polkton Church, Polkton, N. C., March 3, 1933, with approximately three hundred delegates and visitors present.

Promptly at 10:00 A.M., the Union was called to order, with Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Anson Divisional Leader, Wadesboro, presiding. Through the faithful and untiring efforts of Mrs. Shelley H. Rose, our splendid Superintendent, the following program was splendidly given:

Song: "Jesus Calls Us".

A beautiful and helpful devotional theme, "Launch Out Into the Deep" was led by Miss Anna Harrington, Lilesville. Miss Harrington was presented by Mrs. N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville.

Cordial words of welcome were spoken by Mrs. J. C. Meigs of the host church, following which the different pastors and visitors were given a cordial welcome.

Miss Alva Lawrence, Young People's Leader, Raleigh, was presented at this time and she brought in her usual splendid way an address in which she stressed the importance of Young People's work and reminded the group that this is "Boys Year". Miss Lawrence told of how North Carolina led for a while in Royal Ambassador Chapters but at this time was behind in both numbers and gifts. She urged that we love and encourage the Y. W. A.'s and Sunbeams. She commended the work of Mrs. Rose in the G. A. program and told of the new forward steps for girls. She gave the impressive story of Sarah the Slacker and of Helen the Helper.

Mrs. L. J. Huntley expressed to Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Frank Little, and Mrs. J. M. Davis the heartfelt sympathy of the entire Association in the passing of Mrs. John B. Ingram. Mrs. Huntley spoke of her as the most beautiful Christian character she had ever known.

Rev. E. M. Brooks, Peachland, prayed.

Mrs. R. M. Galloway and Mrs. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, sang.

At this time Miss Kathleen Mallory, Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Southern Baptist Convention, Birmingham, Ala., addressed the convention. Choosing as her topic, "Meeting", Miss Mallory emphasized first, meeting God in prayer and urged that the prayer life be cultivated. She told how Matthew Yates received inspiration for his work in China while a student at Wake Forest College and invited the Women to meet God in prayer regularly. And that on March 4th, we be much in prayer for our Nation. Continuing she remarked on meeting unenlisted women and of meeting people in need of personal service. She stressed the importance of meeting facts, of keeping minds alert through Mission Study, meeting obligations and the future. Closing she urged the women to stand by and help the young people for the future.

Several announcements were made at this time including the taking of records of delegates and visitors.

Following prayer by E. M. Brooks the morning session adjourned.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Mrs. Shelley H. Rose, Superintendent, presided, and after the singing of "Revive Us Again", Mrs. Rose prayed as the Chinese noon-hour prayer.

Miss Mallory, who spoke at the morning session, again addressed the meeting, using at this hour, the theme, "How to Hold Young People for the Kingdom Work." She stressed the necessity of choosing selected and capable leaders, attractive programs, and delegating responsibility. Time must be given, she said, to the young people in teaching missionary facts of the Bible.

Prayer was led by Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg.

Another splendid address was made at this time by Miss Lawrence. She gave the story of the Club, Spade, Diamond, and Heart Mothers. Miss Lawrence urged that young people be taught to pray, to listen for God's voice, and to encourage missionary work. Insisting that we foster young people's organizations and furnish them working materials. The young people were urged to listen to the R. A. radio broadcast from Shreveport, La., at 9:45, March 10th, and to enter the young peoples State Contest.

Upon motion a rising vote of thanks were extended to both Miss Mallory and Miss Lawrence for their attendance upon the sessions and their splendid messages.

Following the singing of "Moment by Moment", by Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, Mrs. B. F. Bray, Marion, spoke on the subject, "Found in Christ". In the course of her remarks, Mrs. Bray told of the life of Miss Kathleen Mallory.

After singing "O Zion Haste", a survey of the year's work was made by Mrs. Rose, Superintendent. Her report revealed 1,577 miles traveled, 241 letters and 91 cards written, 35 visits to societies, 20 meetings and 10 new organizations perfected during the year.

The different officers of the W. M. U., made their reports as follows:

Young People's Work and Plans for 1933, by Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham, announcing also the G. A. and R. A. Meeting to be held at Laurinburg, May 30, 1933.

Personal Service, by Miss Fan Long, Rockingham.

Mission Study. (No report given on account of death in the family of Mrs. J. M. Davis).

Divisional Leaders. Richmond Division, Mrs. H. H. Dabbs, leader, read by Miss Hattie Marks. Scotland, Miss Esther McNeill, leader, read by Miss Jesse Baxler. Anson Division, given by the leader, Mrs. L. J. Huntley.

The report of the Nominating Committee was received at this time, and upon motion the following officers for the ensuing year were unanimously elected: Superintendent, Mrs. Shelley H. Rose, Wadesboro; Asst. Superintendent, Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg; Treasurer, Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, Polkton; Secretary, Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, Wades-

boro; Divisional Leaders: Richmond County, Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Rockingham; Scotland County, Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson; Anson County, Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro; Young Peoples Leader, Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham; Personal Service Leader, Mrs. May D. Redfern, Peachland; Stewardship Leader, Mrs. Bruce Gore, Rockingham.

Upon motion the report on the time and place of next meeting was adopted, with the Wagram Baptist Church as the place of meeting, and the time, following the State Convention.

Messages of sympathy were dispatched to Mrs. Griffin of Polkton by Mrs. L. J. Huntley and to Mrs. J. M. Davis, Wadesboro, by Mrs. J. B. Willis.

A roll call of churches was made and an expense fund of $17.25 was collected.

The minutes of the morning session as recorded by Mrs. May D. Redfern and of the afternoon session by Mrs. Barrington T. Hill were read and approved.

After appropriate remarks by Mrs. T. L. Caudle, Wadesboro, expressing to the ladies of the Polkton Church the appreciation of the W. M. U., for the splendid reception and entertainment, and a closing song, the Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourned with prayer by Mrs. R. L. Hardison, Wadesboro.

Program

28. **G. A. AND R. A. ANNUAL MEETING**

First Baptist Church
Laurinburg, North Carolina
May 30, 1933

Miss Ruby Barrett, Laurinburg, presiding

Program beginning at 10:00 o'clock A.M.
Song—Send the Light.
Prayer—That young people of Association may be real Light Bearers for the Master.
Devotional—John's testimony—John 1:1-12
Jesus' testimony—John 8:12-16
Jesus' admonition—Matt. 5:14-16
Harriet Rose, Wadesboro
Lights as They Shine at Home—report from each organization.
High Lights—Special Announcements and goals for the year.
Bright Lights—Recognition of R. and of R. A.'s and forward steps of G. A.'s.....Associational Young Peoples' Leader
Girdling the World with Light—Playlet.....Peachland G. A.
House Beautiful.....Miss Pauline McBride, Rockingham
Song—Take My Life and Let it Be, Consecrated Lord to Thee.
Timothy's Tithe—Playlet.....Wadesboro R. A.'s
Song—We've a Story to Tell to the Nations.

Bearing the Light Afar—Missionary Talk.....Miss Pearle Bourne
Stewardship Declamation Contest Awards.
Benediction.

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29. The Committee on Committee through its Chairman, B. M. Covington, announces the following Committees:

Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher: W. E. Trainham, Chairman, E. M. Brooks, C. O. Funderburk.

Committee to Plan Program for 1934 Sessions: Bruce Benton, Chairman, J. B. Willis, C. B. Deane.

Committee to Audit Books of the Treasurer: John R. Miller, Chairman, N. H. Shepherd, A. C. Phifer.

30. A report is received at this time from the Committee on Committees relative to the applications of Wade, Cognac, and Gum Springs Baptist Churches to be admitted to the fellowship of the Pee Dee Association. The report is read and upon motion by John R. Miller is adopted, as follows:

Wade—Recommend the acceptance of Wade Baptist Church upon their statement.

Gum Springs—Recommend that Gum Springs Baptist Church be accepted into full fellowship pending receipt by Clerk of letter of dismissal from the Anson Association.

Cognac—Recommend that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to confer with the Church at Cognac and make its report at a later meeting of this Association.

31. Notice having been given during the first sitting of the Association, and at the direction of the Association, Claude Gore, Chairman of the Committee submits the following amendment to the Constitution of the Association:

After opportunity for discussion, and upon motion by Claude Gore, the Association by more than a two-thirds majority voted (to strike out all of Article 8 of the Constitution and substitute in lieu thereof as Article 8 the following), "The Association shall elect a Promotion-Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association. Each member of the Committee to be recommended by his church and elected by the Association for a term of one year. The officers of the Association and the Ministers of the Churches are to be ex-officio members of this Committee. Eleven members present shall constitute a quorum of this Committee."

32. Chosen representatives of each church arose at this time and gave the outstanding accomplishment of his church for the past year. These reports revealed many splendid suggestions to promote the work of Christ as well as marked advances made in the respective churches. The Clerk led these discussions, first exhibiting a large chart and reproduced as follows giving a comparative digest of the church letters of the Pee Dee Baptist Association for the year ending September 30, 1933, with the year ending September 30, 1932.

COMPARATIVE DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

Churches	Number Church Members 1933	Baptism		Total Additions		Enrollment						Contributions						*Biblical Recorder*		Denominational Aims	
						Sunday School		B.Y.P.U.		W.M.U.		Local		Denominational		Total					
		Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year
Ansonville	110	7	1	11	2	111	103	17	17	38	39	$ 426.78	$ 406.86	$ 83.05	$ 64.83	$ 509.83	$ 471.69	6	3	$	$
Bethel	79	4	3	15	3	76	65	14	18		17	121.34	108.14	39.64	16.81	160.98	124.95	2	2		16.25
Cartledge Creek	77	3	5	3	5	100	102					442.58	300.66	58.92	49.73	501.50	350.39	5			
Cobb Memorial	135		2	22	6	260	212					436.59	492.77	45.38		481.97	492.77	2	1		
Deep Creek	184	8	8	10	12	55	55	32	26	81	49	222.48	263.82	29.21	48.77	251.69	312.59	5	5		15.00
East Laurinburg	194	2		17	2	284	262			25	12	673.59	494.77	125.40	73.05	798.99	567.82	2	2		
East Rockingham	172	4	7	20	22	282	282			30	8	866.35	1,085.36	30.00	13.00	896.35	1,098.36	3	4		
Ellerbe	249	6	12	18	13	198	210	60	50	44	57	1,793.30	1,174.85	218.59	179.98	2,011.89	1,354.83	3	10		
Gibson	104	1	5	3	9	118	119	37	36	44	62	864.49	463.51	148.76	218.36	1,013.25	681.87	8	5		
Gum Springs*	193		6		9		200		45		77		556.60		109.35		665.95		3		
Hamlet, First	892	31	7	50	29	679	633	40	41	226	216	5,959.00	4,580.44	2,528.00	1,847.05	8,487.00	6,427.49	50	35		2,000.00
Hoffman	75		13	2	16	50	52		40				66.60		12.00		78.60	3	1		
Laurinburg, First	347	31	7	51	29	367	322	30	36	177	161	6,911.66	5,949.91	1,008.43	627.12	7,920.09	6,577.03	15	14		
Lilesville	211	5	3	15	8	175	180	43	54	72	74	588.12	634.75	188.36	130.23	776.48	764.98	7	5		150.00
Midway	107	1	1	3	4	75	69					58.64	58.79			58.64	58.79				
Morven	160		5	3	6	108	83			43	34	566.50	582.67	108.40	86.13	674.90	668.80	7	1		
Mount Olive	18	8		8		57	45					101.50	91.30			101.50	91.30	1	1		
McDonald	80	13	1	13	3	80	78	40	41			203.07	255.11	11.60		214.67	255.11	3	2		
Peachland	166	9	9	12	14	178	225	54	49	94	99	508.23	374.47	61.55	69.22	569.78	443.69	8	6		
Pee Dee	180	19	2	30	5	197	180			15	15	1,354.91	1,233.95	159.62	112.07	1,514.53	1,346.02	5	2		175.00
Pleasant Grove (A)	113		4	1	5	58	68					40.00	155.00		15.00	40.00	170.00	1	4		
Pleasant Grove (R)	75	20	5	22	5	100	100					387.07	385.02	36.75	38.81	423.82	423.83	1	1		40.00
Polkton	160	12	7	19	15	125	159	20	40	71	68	790.00	820.00	100.40	95.59	890.40	915.59	4	9		
Red Hill	109	18	7	27	9	115	107	52	34		12	130.37	170.90	7.00	22.23	137.37	193.13		1		10.00
Roberdel	100				1	50	80			18	12	296.79	316.49	40.35	31.75	337.14	348.24	4	3		
Rockingham, First	513	12	9	32	31	344	370	80	56	139	123	5,293.42	4,858.12	686.09	558.57	5,979.51	5,416.69	28	22		700.00
Saron	54	4	6	6	12	80	95					145.89	120.53	41.06	35.92	186.95	156.45	2			
Spring Hill	133	2		5		97	100	40	30	48	48	714.34	704.62	197.55	47.32	911.89	751.94	5	7		
Steeles	269	27	12	42	22	302	260			15	27	1,522.52	1,454.39	113.12	94.33	1,635.64	1,548.72	3	2		175.00
Wade*	108		13		21		177				18		415.00		24.70		439.70				
Wadesboro, First	546	24	63	47	83	571	484	75	68	151	175	7,511.17	10,507.38	1,142.40	778.92	8,653.57	11,286.30	18	23		
Totals	5913	271	223	507	401	5292	5477	634	681	1331	1403	$38,930.70	$39,082.78	$ 7,209.63	$ 5,400.84	$46,140.33	$44,483.62	201	174		$3,281.25

*Record not available for 1932.

33. Moderator Bruce Benton releases the following Promotion-Executive Committee heretofore designated by the respective Churches and upon motion by W. H. Moore, the Committee as a whole is duly approved as follows:

Ansonville, E. G. Kimbrough; Bethel, C. H. Hartsell; Cartledge Creek, T. G. Thomas; Cobb Memorial, George Wallace; Deep Creek, E. G. Jones; East Laurinburg, A. E. Bristow; East Rockingham, W. I. Parker; Ellerbe, Lester H. Williamson; Gibson, J. M. Gardner; Gum Springs, H. A. Ward; Hamlet, First, E. P. Pearce; Hoffman, Dr. G. C. Caddell; Laurinburg, First, R. E. L. Correll; Lilesville, J. E. Diggs; Midway, J. W. Copeland; Morven, H. G. Huntley; Mt. Olive, R. L. Dawkins; McDonald, Henry McDonald; Peachland, A. D. Griffin; Pee Dee, Jack Humber; Pleasant Grove (A), E. R. Gilmore; Pleasant Grove (R), W. F. Campbell; Polkton, S. L. Thomas; Red Hill, K. N. Edwards; Roberdel, J. W. Nicholson; Rockingham, First, W. E. Harrison; Saron, C. M. Covington; Spring Hill, Monroe McMillan; Steeles, R. R. Ussery; Wade, M. T. Long; Wadesboro, Hampton Allen.

34. E. M. Harris, representing the *Biblical Recorder,* speaks on that splendid publication calling attention to the fact that the Association Digest of Letters reveals such a small number of Pee Dee Baptists taking the *Recorder.* In a later statement Brother Harris reports a new record of any Association attended in new and renewal subscriptions. The Association records its happiness in this fact.

35. A prayer by C. E. Ruffin, and the Association adjourns to dinner served by the ladies of the host Church.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

36. The Association reconvened at 1:30 P.M., with the singing of "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" followed by a devotion in prayer led by John R. Miller.

37. A committee composed of J. B. Willis, Chairman, T. W. Hearne, and O. W. McManus, are appointed by the presiding officer Bruce Benton, to take the application of the new Cognac Baptist Church and confer with the new Church and give a report at a later meeting of this Association.

38. The Association is fortunate at this time in having as its principal visiting speaker Dr. Arch C. Cree, Salisbury. Dr. Cree comes representing the General Board. He brought a great spiritual message in meeting the requirements of the Co-operative Program, emphasizing that our individual thinking, acting and attitudes must be on a higher plane as well as our giving and service.

39. At this time a full discussion of the Associational Report as read and adopted at the morning session takes place, with Vice-Moderator Benjamin M. Covington, presiding.

40. State, Home and Foreign Missions were discussed by Jno. R. Miller, J. B. Willis and W. H. Moore, respectively.

Song—"In the Cross of Christ".

41. Bruce Benton, Rockingham Baptist Church, is recognized at this time and brings a spirited appeal to the Baptists of the Pee Dee Association to stand firmly by the retention of the 18th Amendment, arguing that he feels the Counties of Richmond, Anson, and Scotland, would vote on November 7th, 1933 for Dry Delegates. He introduces in closing E. P. Pearce, Hamlet and B. M. Covington, Dry Delegates, for Richmond and Anson County respectively.

42. N. W. Shepherd, Lilesville, is recognized, and reads the following Resolution, which upon motion, is unanimously adopted:

> Be it resolved by the Pee Dee Baptist Association with a constituency of more than 5,000 white Baptists, in its 119th Annual Session, on this the 17th day of October, 1933, in Wadesboro, hereby express ourselves as opposed to the repeal of the 18th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, or to any change in our laws, Federal or State, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, urging and requesting the Baptists of the Pee Dee to go out to the polls on November 7th, 1933, and vote for the Dry Candidates".

43. The Association at this time is happy to welcome into its sessions for the first time since assuming the General Managership of the Mills Home, Brother I. G. Greer, Thomasville, who brings a beautiful story of the work at our Baptist Orphanage.

44. E. M. Brooks discusses the work of the Baptist Hospital.

45. The Baptist Young Peoples Union is splendidly represented, and speaking in its behalf was Mrs. Marion S. Lynch, Hamlet Baptist Church.

46. Associational Superintendent E. P. Pearce urges in a positive way the necessity of the pastors and others to support the Sunday School Convention and the work in general of our Sunday Schools.

47. Through its Chairman, W. Emory Trainham, the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, reports: Time, Tuesday after the Third Sunday in October, 1934; Place, Pee Dee Baptist Church, Rockingham; Preacher, N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville; Alternate, W. H. Moore, Wadesboro. Upon motion the report is adopted.

48. John R. Miller, Chairman of the Committee to audit the books of the Treasurer, reports for the Committee as follows "We your auditing Committee having examined the account of C. B. Deane, Treasurer of the Pee Dee Baptist Association, find same correct." On motion by B. M. Covington, the report is adopted.

49. On motion by N. H. Shepherd, the Association expresses its thanks to Pastor W. H. Moore, the ladies, and membership of the Wadesboro Baptist Church, who have this date so delightfully entertained the Association.

50. Prior to the placing of the above motion, J. B. Willis asked the Association to go upon record as expressing the sincere thanks and

appreciation to Clerk Charles B. Deane for the prize winning minutes and outstanding work done by him as clerk for the Association.

51. By standing the Association voted the above motions, and following prayer by E. M. Brooks, the 119th Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourns.

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator,*
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

PROCEEDINGS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The first Pee Dee Baptist Associational Sunday School Convention met with the First Baptist Church, Hamlet, January 29, 1933, at 2:30 P.M.

This meeting was called by C. B. Deane, Clerk of the Pee Dee Baptist Association for the purpose of organizing an Associational Sunday School Convention.

Following the devotional conducted by J. B. Willis, pastor Hamlet Baptist Church it was determined that fifteen of the thirty churches in the Association were represented with approximately one hundred seventy-five delegates in attendance.

Following a motion by E. P. Pearce the group went upon record favoring the organization of a Sunday School Convention, whereupon the following officers were duly elected, to-wit:

Superintendent, E. P. Pearce, Hamlet; Secretary-Treasurer, Marion S. Lynch, Hamlet; Group Superintendents: No. 1, Jack Humber, Rockingham; No. 2, Claude Stewart, Laurinburg; No. 3, W. H. Covington, Rockingham; No. 4, T. D. Flack, Wadesboro.

Perry Morgan, State Sunday School Secretary, brought a splendid address upon the need and place of the Sunday School Convention in our Baptist Association work after which the Convention adjourned to meet each fifth Sunday.

E. P. Pearce, *Superintendent,*
Marion S. Lynch, *Secretary.*

PROCEEDINGS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL B. Y. P. U. CONVENTION

MISS WILLA MARKS, *President*, Presiding

The Annual Pee Dee Baptist Associational B. Y. P. U. Convention met with the First Baptist Church, Laurinburg, May 14, 1933, at 2:30 P.M., with eleven of the Churches in the Association represented and one hundred thirty-two delegates present.

Gum Springs Intermediates presented the worship period. A feature of the afternoon program was the presentation of a playlet by the Lilesville B. Y. P. U. entitled "The Standard of Excellence."

The different conferences were conducted as follows: H. D. Baxley, with Associational Officers; Miss Pauline McBride, with Juniors and Intermediates, and Miss Winnie Rickett, with Seniors and Adults.

Miss Winnie Rickett, State B. Y. P. U. Secretary brought the main inspirational address of the afternoon.

The program closed with special music by the Rockingham Seniors and the election of officers for the ensuing year to-wit:

President, Miss Willa Marks, Rockingham; Vice-President, Mrs. Marion S. Lynch, Hamlet; Secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Tice Tyson, Wadesboro; Chorister, Duane Baucom, Ellerbe; Pianist, Miss Margaret Galloway, Hamlet; Junior-Intermediate Leader, Miss Anna Harrington, Lilesville; Richmond District Leader, Lester H. Williamson, Ellerbe; Scotland District Leader, Miss Esther McNeill, Gibson; Anson District Leader, Mrs. Kate Lowder, Lilesville.

MISS WILLA MARKS, *President*,
MRS. DOROTHY TICE TYSON, *Secretary*.

Our Home-Goers

Who Have Answered The Last Roll Call
Since September 30, 1932

Ansonville—None.
Bethel—None.
Cartledge Creek—None.
Cobb Memorial—Miss Louise Bullard.
Deep Creek—Mrs. Jno. L. Beck, Mr. J. T. Webb, Jr.
East Laurinburg—Mrs. N. C. Carter.
East Rockingham—Mr. Ed. Campbell.
Ellerbe—None.
Gibson—Mrs. Mary Wright.
Gum Springs—Mrs. F. H. Cornwell, Mrs. Mattie B. Diggs.
Hamlet, First—Mrs. J. W. Campbell.
Hoffman—None.
Laurinburg, First—Deacon J. R. Jordon, Mrs. J. F. Dowes.
Lilesville—Mr. W. R. Allen.
Midway—None.
Morven—Mrs. Theressa Liles.
Mt. Olive—None.
McDonald—None.
Peachland—Mr. A. J. Johnson, Mrs. A. D. German.
Pee Dee—Mrs. Mae Tyson Shepherd, Mr. Jim Phifer.
Pleasant Grove (A)—Mrs. J. A. Livingston.
Pleasant Grove (R)—None.
Polkton—None.
Red Hill—Mrs. Jeanette Hyatt.
Roberdel—Mrs. Capella C. Baldwin.
Rockingham, First—Mrs. E. J. Hale, Deacon Atlas Dargan Dumas, Mr. James A. Lampley, Mrs. S. F. Liles, Mrs. Walter Young, Mrs. Lillian Hale Algood.
Saron—Mrs. Dicy Steele, Mr. Johnnie Pankey.
Spring Hill—Deacon C. S. McMillan.
Steeles—None.
Wade—None.
Wadesboro, First—Mrs. E. P. Melton, Mr. E. P. Melton, Mrs. J. B. Ingram, Mrs. Ed. Brower.

B. Y. P. U. OFFICERS, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. W. C. Curlee (I), Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	Miss Irene Stuart (S), Jackson Springs, N. C.
Cartledge Creek	No Report.
Cobb Memorial	No Report.
Deep Creek	B. B. Hester (D), Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Annie Moore (S), Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	No Report.
East Rockingham	No Report.
Ellerbe	Miss Pearl Hogan (D), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Lester H. Williamson (S), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Newland Baucom (I), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Esther Treece (J), Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Esther McNeill (D), Gibson, N. C.
	Carrol McNeill (S), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Lucy Gibson (J), Gibson, N. C.
Gum Springs	J. R. Hutchinson (D), Lilesville, N. C.
	James Cornwell (S), Pee Dee, N. C.
	Miss Edith McQuage (I), Pee Dee, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. Marion S. Lynch (D), Hamlet, N. C.
	E. P. Pearce, Jr. (S), Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman	Beulah Covington (S), Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	J. W. C. Stewart (D), Laurinburg, N. C.
	W. Emory Trainham (I), Laurinburg, N. C.
	Mrs. E. Emory Trainham (J), Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Henry C. Boylin (D), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Sarah Williams (A), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Roy Long (S), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Bettie Long (I), Lilesville, N. C.
	Miss Mary Ingram (J), Lilesville, N. C.
Midway	No Report.
Morven	No Report.
Mt. Olive	No Report.
McDonald	Roy McDonald (D), Rockingham, N. C.
	Frank Marks (A), Rockingham, N. C.
	Henry McDonald (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Lena Marks (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Alma McDonald (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland	Ralph Sinclair (D), Peachland, N. C.
	E. M. Brooks (A), Peachland, N. C.
	Miss Louise Thomas (S), Peachland, N. C.
	Mrs. C. A. Redfern (I), Peachland, N. C.
	Hartis Haigler (J), Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	No Report.
Pleasant Grove (A)	No Report.
Pleasant Grove (R)	No Report.
Polkton	E. T. Parham (D), Polkton, N. C.
	Miss Inez Kirk (S), Polkton, N. C.
	S. L. Thomas (J), Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill	C. Ray Little (D), Marshville, N. C.
	Miss Ruth Pope (S), Rt. Wadesboro, N. C.
Roberdell	No Report.

Rockingham, First...	Miss Pauline McBride (D), Rockingham, N. C. Walter Bateman (S), Rockingham, N. C. H. M. King (I), Rockingham, N. C. Miss Louise Watkins (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Saron.....	No Report.
Spring Hill.....	D. W. L. Smith (D), Wagram, N. C. D. W. Smith (A), Wagram, N. C.
Steeles.....	No Report.
Wade.....	No Report.
Wadesboro.....	Miss Pauline Cagle (D), Wadesboro, N. C. Mrs. Rosa Paisley (S), Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Daisy Lee Hart (I), Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Rose Coxe (J), Wadesboro, N. C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Name and Address*
Ansonville.....	Robert Ballard, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel.....	C. C. Pusser, Ellerbe
Cartledge Creek.....	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham, N. C.
Cobb Memorial.....	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham, N. C.
Deep Creek.....	J. D. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg.....	Mrs. Lola Sanford, East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham....	Walton Brigman, Rockingham, N. C.
Ellerbe.....	Miss Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson.....	Miss Roxie Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
Gum Springs.....	J. R. Hutchinson, Lilesville, N. C.
Hamlet, First.....	Marion S. Lynch, Hamlet, N. C.
Hoffman.....	Langdon Caddell, Hoffman, N. C.
Laurinburg, First....	C. W. Odom, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville.....	Miss Sarah Dabbs, Lilesville, N. C.
Midway.....	Miss Daisy Pratt, Rockingham, N. C.
Morven.....	J. N. Johnson, Morven, N. C.
Mt. Olive.....	W. B. Long, Rockingham, N. C.
McDonald.....	Roy McDonald, Rockingham, N. C.
Peachland.....	A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee.....	Mrs. Nellie Dees Hooks, Rockingham, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (A)..	C. B. Aycock, Wadesboro, N. C.
Pleasant Grove (R)..	Zack Grice, Rockingham, N. C.
Polkton.....	Robert Baucom, Jr., Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill.....	K. N. Edwards, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel.....	W. Cary Nicholson, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First...	W. H. McCall, Rockingham, N. C.
Saron.....	Miss Rosa McRae, Rt. 1, Ellerbe, N. C.
Spring Hill.....	Fulford McMillan, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles.....	Willie Moore, Cordova, N. C.
Wade.....	H. S. Davis, Wadesboro, N. C.
Wadesboro, First....	Miss Elizabeth Ross, Gathings, Wadesboro, N. C.

OFFICERS WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*President and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. Neil Young, Ansonville, N. C.
Bethel	Mrs. Elsie Stuart, Jackson Springs, N. C.
Brown Creek	Miss Anna Flake, Rt. Wadesboro, N. C.
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ed. Winfield, Wadesboro, N. C.
Deep Creek	Mrs. R. G. Smith, Wadesboro, N. C.
East Laurinburg	Mrs. C. T. Hudson, Jr., East Laurinburg, N. C.
East Rockingham	Mrs. Ada Wilson, East Rockingham, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. C. M. Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Jessie Baxley, Gibson, N. C.
Gum Springs	Mrs. Beatrice Hedrick, Lilesville, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Clara B. Wall, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Mrs. J. N. Johnson, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. W. H. Edwards, Peachland, N. C.
Pee Dee	Mrs. T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.
Red Hill	Mrs. Brady Martin, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
Roberdel	Mrs. J. W. Miller, Roberdel, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Fan Long, Rockingham, N. C.
Rocky Mount	Mrs. J. S. Howard, Rt. Polkton, N. C.
Rocky River	Mrs. L. S. Summers, Rt. Wadesboro, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. W. R. Bullard, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	Mrs. L. B. Quick, Cordova, N. C.
Wade	Mrs. M. T. Long, Wadesboro, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.

OTHER AUXILIARY LEADERS

Sunbeam Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
Ansonville	Mrs. W. C. Curlee, Ansonville, N. C.
Deep Creek	Mrs. C. R. Leonard, Wadesboro, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. J. B. Baucom, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. Earle Coxe, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. C. W. Grandy, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Virginia Humphrey, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Miss Simmons Boyd, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. C. A. Redfern, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. B. L. Curlee, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Louise Watkins, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. W. R. Bullard, Wagram, N. C.
Steeles	Mrs. O. D. Bland, Cordova, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. J. F. Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.

R. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
Brown Creek	Mrs. H. C. Martin, Wadesboro, N. C.
Deep Creek	Mrs. E. Y. Ratliffe, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
Ellerbe	Mrs. W. E. Gaddy, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
Gum Springs	D. T. Hinson, Pee Dee, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. W. A. Benton, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	I. L. McGill, Laurinburg, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. Joe B. Redfern, Peachland, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Henry Walden, Rockingham, N. C.
Wadesboro,	Miss Pauline Cagle, Wadesboro, N. C.

G. A. Leaders

Deep Creek	Mrs. J. V. Gullege, Rt. Wadesboro, N. C.
Gibson	O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.
Hamlet, First	J. P. Weatherspoon (S), Hamlet, N. C.
	Mrs. Z. Vance McGirt (I), Hamlet, N. C.
	Mrs. L. G. Jordon (J), Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. W. E. Trainham, Laurinburg, N. C.
	Mrs. Roma Baxley, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Sarah Williams, Lilesville, N. C.
Morven	Miss Sarah Thomas, Morven, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. E. S. Sinclair, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. R. W. Baucom, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Ruby McCroskey (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Mrs. Claude Gore (J), Rockingham, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. T. J. Covington, Wadesboro, N. C.

Y. W. A. Leaders

Ellerbe	Mrs. Jack Horton, Ellerbe, N. C.
Gibson	Mrs. W. H. Webster, Gibson, N. C.
Gum Springs	Mrs. W. H. Land, Pee Dee, N. C.
Hamlet, First	Mrs. E. L. Woodall, Hamlet, N. C.
Laurinburg, First	Mrs. J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg, N. C.
Lilesville	Mrs. Kate Lowden, Lilesville, N. C.
Peachland	Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Peachland, N. C.
Polkton	Mrs. R. F. Covington, Polkton, N. C.
Rockingham, First	Miss Netta Poplin, Rockingham, N. C.
Spring Hill	Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram, N. C.
Wadesboro, First	Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, Wadesboro, N. C.

NOTE: All Churches not reporting any of the foregoing auxiliaries are omitted.

ORDAINED MINISTERS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN THE CHURCHES OF THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Bacott, A. J.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Baisch, Paul M.	Hoffman, N. C.	Hoffman	Pastor
Benton, Bruce	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Pastor
Biles, H. C.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Saron	Member
Boggan, W. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Boyd, John P.	Morven, N. C.	Morven	Inactive
Brewer, Grady	Star, N. C.	McDonald	Pastor
Brooks, E. M.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Pastor
Coggin, N. C.	New London, N. C.	Ansonville	Pastor
Edwards, Wilbur	East Laurinburg, N. C.	East Laurinburg	Pastor
English, Steve	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
English, W. H.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Hearne, T. W.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Hilburn, O. M.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Humphrey, H. B.	East Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Knight, Luther	Ruby, S. C.	Ruby	Pastor
Little, C. Ray	Marshville, N. C.	Red Hill	Pastor
Meigs, J. C.	Polkton, N. C.	Polkton	Pastor
Miller, Jno. R.	Raeford, N. C.	Raeford	Pastor
Moore, W. H.	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wadesboro, First	Pastor
McGill, J. I.	Monroe, N. C.	Pleasant Grove (A)	Pastor
McIntyre, Donald	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Member
McManus, O. W.	Gibson, N. C.	Gibson	Pastor
Oakes, S. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Ruffin, C. E.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Pastor
Shepherd, N. H.	Lilesville, N. C.	Lilesville	Pastor
Smith, J. Marvin	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Pastor
Summey, J. A.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet	Inactive
Trainham, W. Emory	Laurinburg, First	Laurinburg, First	Pastor
Ussery, L. D.	Mt. Gilead, N. C.	Saron	Pastor
Webb, U. S.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Willis, J. B.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Pastor

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Little, C. Ray	Marshville, N. C.	Red Hill	Student

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
Dunn, Tyler	Buie's Creek, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Campbell College
Williams, J. Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Wake Forest College

ASSISTANT TO PASTORS

Name	Address	Church of Which Member	Work
None			

Index Number	Churches	Is it in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	Pastors and Postoffices	Days of Meeting	Church Membership													
						Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses				Total Present Members	Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
							Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures or Inactive	Deaths					
1*	Ansonville	Town	1886	N. C. Coggins, New London, Rt.	4	108	1	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	110	Yes	1	3	3
2	Bethel	Country	1916	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	3	76	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	79	No	1	1	2
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	1820	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1	73	5	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	77	No	1	1	----
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	1909	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	4	137	2	4	----	----	7	1	----	----	135	Yes	2	4	1
5	Deep Creek	Country	1797	Luther Knight, Jefferson	1, 3	175	8	4	----	----	1	2	----	----	184	No	1	1	5
6	East Laurinburg	Village	1911	Wilbur Edwards, East Laurinburg	Each S.	207	----	2	----	----	2	12	----	1	194	Yes	----	3	2
7	East Rockingham	Village	1919	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	Each S.	187	7	15	----	----	12	4	20	1	172	Yes	2	1	4
8	Ellerbe	Town	1913	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 2, 4	236	12	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	249	Yes	1	4	10
9	Gibson	Town	1884	O. W. McManus, Gibson	Each S.	97	5	4	----	----	1	----	----	1	104	Yes	----	4	5
10	Gum Springs*	Country	1834	A. R. Brothers, Rockingham	1, 3	187	6	3	----	----	1	----	----	2	193	Yes	1	2	3
11	Hamlet, First	Town	1890	J. B. Willis, Hamlet	Each S.	887	7	21	1	----	23	----	----	1	892	Yes	----	4	35
12	Hoffman	Village	1910	Paul M. Baisch, Hoffman	1	60	13	3	----	----	1	----	----	----	75	No	1	----	1
13	Laurinburg, First	Town	1879	W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg	Each S.	347	7	22	----	----	25	2	----	2	347	Yes	1	4	14
14	Lilesville	Town	1777	N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville	2, 4	206	3	5	----	----	2	1	----	----	211	No	1	----	5
15	Midway	Village	1920	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	2, 3	106	1	3	----	----	3	----	----	----	107	Yes	1	----	----
16	Morven	Town	----	J. C. Meigs, Polkton	2	165	5	1	----	----	10	----	----	1	160	No	1	3	1
17	Mount Olive	Country	1931	W. H. Boggan, Rockingham	1, 3	18	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	18	No	1	1	1
18	McDonald	Country	1920	Grady Brewer, Star	2, 4	81	1	2	----	----	4	----	----	----	80	No	1	1	2
19	Peachland	Town	1890	E. M. Brooks, Peachland	1, 3	275	9	5	----	----	4	----	117	2	166	Yes	1	1	6
20	Pee Dee	Village	1915	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	267	2	2	1	----	5	4	81	2	180	Yes	2	1	2
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	1837	J. I. McGill, Monroe	2	112	4	1	----	----	3	----	----	1	113	No	1	----	4
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	1882	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	1, 3	76	5	----	----	----	5	----	----	1	75	No	1	----	1
23	Polkton	Town	----	J. C. Meigs, Polkton	1, 3	175	7	8	----	----	----	----	30	----	160	No	1	1	9
24	Red Hill	Country	1867	C. Ray Little, Marshville	3	105	7	2	----	----	4	----	----	1	109	No	1	1	1
25	Roberdel	Village	1887	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	2	100	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	1	100	No	----	4	3
26	Rockingham, First	Town	1879	Bruce Benton, Rockingham	Each S.	498	9	21	1	----	10	----	----	6	513	Yes	1	4	22
27	Saron	Country	1826	L. D. Ussery, Mount Gilead, Rt. 3	1	58	6	6	----	----	8	----	6	2	54	No	1	----	----
28	Spring Hill	Village	1813	J. R. Miller, Raeford	1, 3	133	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	133	No	1	3	7
29	Steeles	Village	1900	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	270	12	9	----	1	22	1	----	----	269	Yes	2	4	2
30	Wade*	Village	1925	N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville	1, 3	89	13	8	----	----	2	----	----	----	108	Yes	1	2	----
31	Wadesboro, First	Town	1869	W. H. Moore, Wadesboro	Each S.	476	63	17	1	2	9	----	----	4	546	Yes	1	11	23
	Totals	----	----	----	----	5,987	223	170	4	4	165	27	254	29	5,913	16	31	69	174

*Churches admitted to membership this year from Anson Association.

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1933

Index Number	Churches	Is it a Village, Town, City, or Country Church?	Superintendents and Postoffices	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information									
				Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16 Years	Young People, 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll, Under 3 Years	Officers and Teachers	Home Department	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did You Hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?	Enrollment Daily Vacation School	Average Attendance Daily Vacation School
1	Ansonville	Town	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	19	23	9	14	7	23	----	8	----	103	77	No	No	----	1	No	----	No	----	----
2	Bethel	Country	J. M. McCracken, West End	11	----	9	7	14	15	----	9	----	65	46	No	No	----	2	No	----	No	----	----
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	W. H. Covington, Rockingham	7	8	18	20	20	23	----	6	----	102	50	No	No	----	5	No	----	No	----	----
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham	20	20	20	30	25	90	----	7	----	212	175	No	No	----	1	No	----	No	----	----
5	Deep Creek	Country	E. H. Jones, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	15	----	----	15	----	20	----	5	----	55	47	No	No	2	----	No	----	No	----	----
6	East Laurinburg	Village	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	15	45	20	40	60	70	----	12	----	262	225	No	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
7	East Rockingham	Village	W. K. Lampley, Rockingham, Rt. 2	9	38	37	39	58	87	----	14	----	282	220	No	No	3	7	No	----	No	----	----
8	Ellerbe	Town	C. M. Brady, Ellerbe	14	39	27	24	37	53	----	16	----	210	123	Yes	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
9	Gibson	Town	Dr. J. M. Gardner, Gibson	10	10	15	13	----	19	15	11	26	119	52	Yes	No	3	5	No	----	No	----	----
10	Gum Springs	Country	W. W. Marks, Pee Dee	15	16	26	23	35	56	9	16	4	200	165	Yes	No	10	5	No	----	No	----	----
11	Hamlet, First	Town	E. P. Pearce, Hamlet	50	98	108	90	96	98	36	57	----	633	360	Yes	Yes	50	5	No	----	No	----	----
12	Hoffman	Village	A. M. Snider, Hoffman	6	5	8	8	10	9	----	6	----	52	35	No	No	3	13	No	----	No	----	----
13	Laurinburg, First	Town	J. W. C. Stewart, Laurinburg	23	41	54	31	22	105	6	40	----	322	200	Yes	No	----	1	No	----	No	----	----
14	Lilesville	Town	J. T. Saunders, Lilesville	20	17	25	25	35	46	----	12	----	180	120	No	No	5	5	No	----	No	----	----
15	Midway	Village	Clyde Benoist, Rockingham	8	15	10	15	----	14	----	7	----	69	65	Yes	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
16	Morven	Town	Jno P. Boyd, Morven	6	7	16	12	12	22	----	8	----	83	50	No	No	3	5	No	----	No	----	----
17	Mount Olive	Country	O. P. Long, Rockingham	8	----	8	----	10	13	----	6	----	45	45	Yes	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
18	McDonald	Country	John L. McDonald, Rockingham	----	14	10	14	27	6	----	7	----	78	40	No	No	1	1	No	----	No	----	----
19	Peachland	Town	V. O. Bryant, Peachland	15	30	38	40	51	33	----	18	----	225	112	Yes	No	4	9	No	----	No	----	----
20	Pee Dee	Village	Jack Humber, Rockingham	22	20	21	20	20	55	9	13	----	180	160	Yes	No	----	1	No	----	No	----	----
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	E. R. Gilmore, Wadesboro	15	11	12	12	----	10	----	8	----	68	50	No	No	----	4	No	----	No	----	----
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	----	----	20	40	----	33	----	7	----	100	75	No	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
23	Polkton	Town	S. L. Napier, Polkton	18	11	25	25	21	44	----	15	----	159	100	Yes	No	6	7	No	----	No	----	----
24	Red Hill	Country	G. C. Martin, Wadesboro, Rt. 1	----	22	----	18	40	20	----	7	----	107	75	No	No	----	7	No	----	No	----	----
25	Roberdel	Village	E. T. Ballard, Roberdel	10	14	15	10	9	15	----	7	----	80	65	No	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
26	Rockingham, First	Town	C. O. Funderburk, Rockingham	27	33	40	31	85	47	25	32	50	370	225	Yes	No	15	7	Yes	60	No	----	----
27	Saron	Country	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	15	----	8	14	23	28	----	7	----	95	69	Yes	No	----	4	No	----	No	----	----
28	Spring Hill	Village	A. D. Thomas, Wagram	10	12	10	14	14	30	----	10	----	100	80	No	No	----	5	No	----	No	----	----
29	Steeles	Village	R. R. Ussery, Cordova	75	25	30	35	30	49	5	11	----	260	180	Yes	No	1	8	No	----	Yes	120	95
30	Wade	Village	D. P. Clark, Wadesboro, Rt.	20	15	40	20	42	30	----	10	----	177	125	No	No	1	13	No	----	No	----	----
31	Wadesboro, First	Town	C. C. Green, Wadesboro	25	47	62	44	40	122	37	42	65	484	300	Yes	No	19	55	No	----	No	----	----
	Totals	----	----	508	636	741	743	843	1285	142	434	145	5477	3711	14	1	126	176	1	60	1	120	95

TABLE III—CHURCH PROPERTY OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1933

Index Number	Churches	Church Clerks and Postoffices	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Number of Department Asembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel if Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Wadell, Ansonville	Yes	1887	Wood	250	5	5	5	$ 4,000.00	$	$	$ 4,000.00	$	$ 2,000.00
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1			2,000.00			2,000.00		
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	Yes	1867	Wood	400	1			1,000.00		2,000.00	3,000.00		
4	Cobb Memorial	Mrs. Charlie Deaver,East Rockingham	Yes	1909	Wood	400	4	4	4	2,800.00			2,800.00	80.00	
5	Deep Creek	Mrs. G. K. Little, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	Yes	1815	Wood	400	3	1	3	3,600.00			3,600.00		
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	Yes	1916	Wood	500	7	7	7	5,000.00			5,000.00		3,500.00
7	East Rockingham	Charlie B. Smith, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	800	14	13	12	6,000.00		3,000.00	9,000.00	14,000.00	2,000.00
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	Yes	1913	Wood	380	12	12	12	3,400.00		2,000.00	5,400.00		5,400.00
9	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	Yes	1920	Brick	400	10	5	9	24,000.00			24,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00
10	Gum Springs	Mrs. H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	Yes	1931	Brick	700			7	10,000.00			10,000.00	75.00	
11	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	Yes	1916	Brick	600	47	5	47	50,000.00		5,000.00	55,000.00		20,000.00
12	Hoffman	J. F. Butler, Hoffman	Yes	1912	Wood	400	5	4	4	3,000.00			3,000.00		2,000.00
13	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	Yes	1928	Brick	500	39	5	30	60,000.00		8,000.00	68,000.00	12,000.00	28,000.00
14	Lilesville	James Farlan, Lilesville	Yes	1872	Wood	400	2	2	5	4,000.00		2,500.00	6,500.00		1,800.00
15	Midway	J. W. Copeland, Rockingham	Yes	1920	Wood	300	4	4	4	4,000.00			4,000.00		
16	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	Yes	1908	Brick	400	8	2	5	8,000.00			8,000.00		3,000.00
17	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	Yes	1893	Wood	200	1			500.00			500.00		
18	McDonald	Alma McDonald, McDonald	Yes	1933	Wood	150	1			1,000.00			1,000.00		
19	Peachland	V. O. Bryant, Peachland	Yes	1918	Brick	500	1			8,000.00			8,000.00		
20	Pee Dee	L. L. Thrower, Rockingham	Yes	1915	Wood	600	14	2	11	5,000.00			5,000.00		4,000.00
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Allen, Wadesboro	Yes	1837	Wood	500	1			3,000.00			3,000.00		
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	Yes	1884	Wood	500	1		1	1,800.00			1,800.00		
23	Polkton	Miss Lelie Goodman, Polkton	Yes	1926	Brick	400	10	3	10	6,250.00		1,300.00	7,550.00	1,750.00	
24	Red Hill	Fannie Lou Pope, Wadesboro, Rt. 1	Yes	1867	Wood	500	1		1	1,500.00			1,500.00		
25	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	Yes	1887	Wood	300	5	4	4	2,500.00		150.00	2,650.00		1,000.00
26	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	Yes	1912	Brick	250	16	6	23	20,900.00		16,800.00	37,700.00	12,500.00	18,500.00
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	Yes	1878	Wood	200	5	5	5	2,000.00			2,000.00	150.00	
28	Spring Hill	Monroe McMillan, Wagram	Yes	1914	Brick	300	8	7	6	10,000.00		1,000.00	11,000.00		
29	Steeles	Virginia Pittman, Cordova	Yes	1900	Wood	400	9	11	8	5,000.00			5,000.00		2,500.00
30	Wade	D. P. Clark, Wadesboro	No			500	8		8						
31	Wadesboro, First	Pauline Cagle, Wadesboro	Yes	1928	Brick	450	47	6	42	95,000.00	500.00	12,000.00	107,500.00	25,000.00	37,400.00
	Totals					12,880	290	113	273	$353,250.00	$500.00	$53,750.00	$407,500.00	$70,555.00	$143,100.00

TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1933

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	For Support of Local Church Work											
			Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. and W.M.S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total Given by All W.M.U. Organizations*	Total Given by the Sunday School*	Grand Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$ 207.85	$	$	$ 60.00	$ 74.52	$ 50.34	$	$ 5.50	$ 8.65	$ 62.00	$ 56.99	$ 406.86
2	Bethel	W. H. Pusser, Ellerbe	75.00				24.64			4.00	4.50	6.00	23.14	108.14
3	Cartledge Creek	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham	200.00	8.22		40.00	14.25	18.19		5.00	15.00		191.93	300.66
4	Cobb Memorial	U. S. Webb, East Rockingham	174.00		24.00	114.25	131.16	45.11		4.25				492.77
5	Deep Creek	E. G. Jones, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	200.00		26.53			28.79		5.00	3.50		28.79	263.82
6	East Laurinburg	J. D. Hildreth, East Laurinburg	365.40				47.42	59.94	16.01	6.00			59.94	494.77
7	East Rockingham	H. D. Freeman, Rockingham, Rt. 2	751.56		50.00	135.00	39.15	67.65	25.00	5.00	12.00			1,085.36
8	Ellerbe	J. E. Nicholson, Ellerbe	800.00		25.00	150.36	63.95	128.54		7.00				1,174.85
9	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	319.50			33.37				6.00	104.64			463.51
10	Gum Springs	H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	176.00		49.97	114.26	89.16	93.85		5.00	28.36	60.97	91.35	556.60
11	Hamlet, First	B. R. Carroll, Hamlet	3,000.00	420.00	50.00	265.67	353.11	316.66	75.00	20.00	80.00	30.00	286.66	4,580.44
12	Hoffman	Dr. G. C. Caddell, Hoffman	45.00					16.60		5.00				66.60
13	Laurinburg, First	J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg	1,880.00		20.00	3,202.52	733.74	90.00	8.65	15.00		137.80	342.05	5,949.91
14	Lilesville	T. B. Seago, Lilesville	425.00		20.00	11.50	54.00	40.00	50.00	6.25	28.00	50.00	40.00	634.75
15	Midway	Miss Daisy Pratt, Rockingham			23.35		10.58	21.36		3.50				58.79
16	Morven	H. G. Huntley, Morven	400.00		43.93	22.50	62.00	44.62		6.25	3.37	3.37	76.82	582.67
17	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	35.54			35.00				3.00	17.76			91.30
18	McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rockingham	57.42			125.35	5.00	13.84		3.50	50.00	13.84		255.11
19	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	202.37		36.50		50.12	70.48	10.00	5.00		26.00	54.48	374.47
20	Pee Dee	Ralph Benoy, Rockingham	858.00		64.00	95.00	139.40	42.00	2.80	5.00	27.75			1,233.95
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	W. T. Garris, Wadesboro	150.00							5.00				155.00
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	300.00		10.85		69.17			5.00				385.02
23	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	500.00		35.00	150.00	70.00	50.00		5.00	10.00			820.00
24	Red Hill	E. R. Randall, Polkton	120.00		18.00	2.20	1.00	25.20		4.50				170.90
25	Roberdel	W. C. Nicholson, Roberdel	200.04			22.00	43.04	41.41		6.00	4.00			316.49
26	Rockingham, First	Claud Gore, Rockingham	1,800.00	135.00	76.75	2,181.92	315.14	213.20		16.00	120.11		60.00	4,858.12
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	73.57		15.00		6.50	21.46		4.00			27.96	120.53
28	Spring Hill	E. C. Smith, Wagram	600.00		35.00			47.00		6.50	16.12		63.12	704.62
29	Steeles	I. B. Pittman, Cordova	829.40	72.14	40.20		177.05	67.20	41.18	7.00	220.22	59.22	78.20	1,454.39
30	Wade	M. F. Long, Wadesboro	240.00		40.00		24.00	50.00	32.50	3.50	25.00			415.00
31	Wadesboro, First	Joe M. Liles, Wadesboro	2,700.00	75.00	253.15	6,106.77	990.93	323.48	11.25	15.00	31.80	365.00	432.78	10,507.38
	Totals		$17,685.65	$710.36	$957.23	$12,867.67	$3,589.03	$1,986.92	$272.39	$202.75	$810.78	$*814.20	$*1,914.21	$39,082.78

*These items have been included in various items for support of Local Church and not intended to be included in final total.

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Index Number	Churches	Total to Co-operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Other Special Gifts	Total to All Missions Education and Benevolence by the Church Only	Total Given by W. M. U. Organizations*	Total Given by the Sunday School*	Grand Total for Missions and Benevolences Given by the Church and All Departments
1	Ansonville	$ 21.65	$	$ 2.00	$ 1.16	$ 1.00	$ 1.00	$ 28.30	$ 3.55	$ 1.00	$ 5.17	$ 64.83	$ 33.98	$ 30.85	$ 471.69
2	Bethel	5.56						11.25				16.81	1.00	10.25	124.95
3	Cartledge Creek	3.00						35.94	10.79			49.73		38.79	350.39
4	Cobb Memorial														492.77
5	Deep Creek			6.05				41.38	1.34			48.77		18.77	312.59
6	East Laurinburg	32.50						40.55				73.05	9.35	40.55	567.82
7	East Rockingham	7.00							6.00			13.00			1,098.36
8	Ellerbe	37.90		22.55	10.81	13.90		86.82	8.00			179.98	88.90	81.58	1,354.83
9	Gibson	207.68						10.68				218.36	87.40		681.87
10	Gum Springs	39.80						61.55	3.00		5.00	109.35	35.20	69.55	665.95
11	Hamlet, First	1,205.93			11.66	39.45		389.80	34.36		165.85	1,847.05	852.28	463.61	6,427.49
12	Hoffman							12.00				12.00			78.60
13	Laurinburg, First	341.10		36.54	48.68	57.32	20.00	110.23			13.25	627.12	313.32	139.04	6,577.03
14	Lilesville	30.50			11.50	5.00		75.35	3.90	3.98		130.23	50.90	63.55	764.98
15	Midway														58.79
16	Morven	13.21		9.18	3.05	2.45	.65	47.94	7.50	.65	1.50	86.13	16.41	69.72	668.80
17	Mount Olive														91.30
18	McDonald														255.11
19	Peachland	49.52		3.00				13.70	3.00			69.22	50.27	14.00	443.69
20	Pee Dee	44.00						53.07	15.00			112.07			1,346.02
21	Pleasant Grove (A)								15.00			15.00			170.00
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	20.54			1.00	1.00		12.96	3.31			38.81			423.83
23	Polkton	47.00						41.84	6.75			95.59	40.00	43.84	915.59
24	Red Hill	6.20						16.03				22.23	6.20		193.13
25	Roberdel	27.45						4.30				31.75	31.75		348.24
26	Rockingham, First	322.68	2.50	8.40	6.11	8.06		88.28	36.01		86.53	558.57	111.60		5,416.69
27	Saron	18.16						15.21	2.55			35.92		14.41	156.45
28	Spring Hill							47.32				47.32		47.32	751.94
29	Steeles	39.16						47.17	8.00			94.33	16.85	8.00	1,548.72
30	Wade	24.70										24.70	24.70		439.70
31	Wadesboro, First	277.50		56.25	47.95	46.30	15.50	298.48	36.94			778.92	101.80	314.14	11,286.30
	Totals	$ 2,822.74	$ 2.50	$ 143.97	$ 141.92	$ 174.48	$37.15	$ 1,590.15	$ 205.00	$ 5.63	$ 277.30	$ 5,400.84	$*1,871.91	$*1,467.97	$44,483.62

*These totals included in total for Co-operative Program and all specials.

Table VI—B. Y. P. U.'s of Pee Dee Baptist Association, State of North Carolina, for Year Ending September 30, 1933

Index Number	Churches	Does Church have General B.Y.P.U. Organization?	The Young People's Work															
			Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking B.Y.P.U. Study Course	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Students in College From Your Church
1	Ansonville				1		1				17		17				
2	Bethel			1			1			18			18				
3	Cartledge Creek																
4	Cobb Memorial																
5	Deep Creek	Yes		1			1			26			26	11	23	17	
6	East Laurinburg																
7	East Rockingham																
8	Ellerbe	Yes		1	1	1	3	2		23	8	19	50	33	47	29	6
9	Gibson	Yes		1		1	2			14		22	36	10	1	11	2
10	Gum Springs	Yes		1	1		2			20	25		45	20	15	45	1
11	Hamlet, First	Yes		1			1			41			41	7	16	7	10
12	Hoffman			1			1			40			40	10		5	1
13	Laurinburg, First	Yes			1	1	2				20	16	36	20	16	23	5
14	Lilesville	Yes	1	1	1	1	4		16	22	10	6	54	15	21	18	
15	Midway																
16	Morven																
17	Mount Olive																
18	McDonald	Yes	1	1	1	1	4		4	15	12	10	41	15		10	
19	Peachland	Yes	1	1	1	1	4		12	15	12	10	49	20		18	3
20	Pee Dee																
21	Pleasant Grove (A)																
22	Pleasant Grove (R)																
23	Polkton	Yes		1		1	2			20		20	40			5	
24	Red Hill	Yes		1			1			34			34	7			
25	Roberdel																
26	Rockingham, First	Yes		1	1	1	3			18	28	10	56	32		27	6
27	Saron																
28	Spring Hill	Yes	1				1		30				30	10		9	1
29	Steeles																
30	Wade																
31	Wadesboro, First	Yes		1	1	1	3			26	20	22	68	34	15	51	4
	Totals	14	4	14	9	9	36	2	62	332	152	135	681	244	154	275	39

Table VII—Woman's Work of Pee Dee Baptist Association, State of North Carolina, for Year Ending September 30, 1933

Churches	W. M. U. Work												
	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y.W.A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R.A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses
Ansonville	1				1	2	17				22	39	
Bethel	1					1	17					17	
*Brown Creek	1			1		2	15			10		25	
*Cedar Grove	1					1	10					10	
Cartledge Creek													
Cobb Memorial													
Deep Creek	1		1	1	1	4	17		10	10	12	49	
East Laurinburg	1					1	12					12	
East Rockingham	1					1	8					8	
Ellerbe	1	1		1	1	4	17	15		10	15	57	
Gibson	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	12	8	9	15	62	10
Gum Springs	1	1		1		3	36	23		18		77	
Hamlet, First	1	1	3	1	1	7	130	8	42	16	20	216	111
Hoffman													
Laurinburg, First	1	1	2	1	1	6	95	14	25	9	18	161	
Lilesville	1	1	1		1	4	24	19	11		20	74	35
Midway													
Morven	1		1		1	3	20		6		8	34	
Mount Olive													
McDonald													
Peachland	1	1	1	1	1	5	21	11	12	10	45	99	
Pee Dee	1					1	15					15	
Pleasant Grove (A)													
Pleasant Grove (R)													
Polkton	1	1	1		1	4	30	12	14		12	68	
Red Hill	1					1	12					12	
Roberdel	1					1	12					12	
Rockingham, First	1	1	2	1	1	6	65	15	18	5	20	123	18
*Rocky Mount	1					1	15					15	
*Rocky River	1					1	12					12	
Saron													
Spring Hill	1	1			1	3	30	8			10	48	
Steeles	1				1	2	15				12	27	
Wade	1					1	18					18	
Wadesboro, First	1	1	1	1	1	5	76	25	15	19	40	175	58
Totals	26	11	14	10	14	75	757	162	161	116	269	1,465	232

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1816	Richland Creek, Montgomery County		John Culpepper, Sr.	
1817	Cedar Creek (A)			
1819	Bethlehem Meeting House (R)			
1820	Jersey Settlement, Davidson County			
1821	Cartledge Creek (R)			
1822	Rocky River (A)			
1823	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1824	Pine Woods, Rowan County			
1825	Bear Creek			
1872				W. L. Wright
1873	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
1877	Pee Dee, Anson County	W. M. Bostick	W. M. Bostick	Collier Cobb
1883	Mt. Carmel, Montgomery County			
1893	Morven	J. Q. Adams	Dr. E. H. Covington	S. T. Flake
1894	Wadesboro, First	J. F. Tuttle	E. A. Covington	W. D. Webb
1895	Spring Hill	T. S. Wright	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1897	Rockingham, First	W. M. Jones	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1898	Wadesboro, First	Dispensed with	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1899	Ansonville	W. M. Jones	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1901	Polkton	C. L. Greaves	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1902	Pleasant Grove (R)	J. F. Love	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1903	Brown Creek	G. O. Wilhoit	E. A. Covington	W. J. Matthews
1905	Red Hill	E. D. Cameron	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1906	Rockingham, First	Livingston Johnson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1907	Wadesboro, First	W. H. Whitehead	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1908	Laurinburg, First	A. M' Burleson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1909	Peachland	T. G. Wood	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1910	Hamlet, First	Josiah Crudup	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1912	Hoffman	J. F. Davis	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1913	Lilesville	A. T. Howell	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1914	Rockingham, First	W. H. Reddish	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1915	Ellerbe	Bruce Benton	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1916	Wadesboro, First	James Long	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1917	Spring Hill	W. T. Baucom	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1918	Gibson	T. B. Justice	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1919	Hamlet, First	A. C. Hamby	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1920	Cartledge Creek	C. B. Austin	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1921	Wadesboro, First	R. T. Vann	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1922	Saron	J. M. Arnette	W. E. Harrison	W. J. Matthews
1923	Pleasant Grove (A)	J. B. Willis	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1924	Hoffman	C. L. Jackson	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1925	Ansonville	No sermon	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1926	Hamlet, First	E. V. Babb	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1927	Entwistle	J. A. Snow	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1928	Morven	J. F. Hoyle	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1929	Peachland	B. F. Bray	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1930	Rockingham, First	C. E. Ruffin	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
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1933	Wadesboro, First	W. Emory Trainham	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane

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OF

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Spring Hill, like many churches, has not been careful to preserve the records from which a complete and accurate history can be written. Some of the records have been burned and others lost. Even those which are in existence are not full, many important events not having been entered.

It is said that North Carolina has not given the attention to history that its importance demands. Whether or not that be true in regard to North Carolina it certainly is true of our denomination in this State and in the South. The independence of our local Baptist churches makes it more difficult to compile a history of the denomination than it is for other denominations.

The history of Spring Hill Church starts from Scotland about the beginning of 1800. Rev. Daniel White was converted in Scotland, embraced the Baptist faith, was baptized, entered the ministry and came to this country in 1807.

Mr. White was converted while listening to a great preacher by the name of Daniel McArthur who suffered persecution at the hands of the State Church, as did many of his followers. Among the other converts was Miss Catherine Campbell, who afterward became the wife of Rev. Daniel White. Mr. White felt strongly inclined to come to this country to preach to his fellow-countrymen who had come to America, but Mrs. White was bitterly opposed to coming. Tradition which is trustworthy says that the young minister came in from a long trip, threw himself down on a cot for a little rest, fell asleep and began preaching. He became so earnest that his wife endeavored to awaken him but could not succeed in doing so.

At last she fell on her knees and besought God to awaken her husband, promising if He would do so, that she would accompany him to America. He awoke and she told him of her vow. It was soon after this that they set sail on August 29, 1807, on a slow sailing vessel, and reached Charleston, South Carolina, October 7, 1807. From Charleston they went to Wilmington, and thence to Lumber Bridge, in Robeson County, where a Scotch colony had located. After visiting sections of Robeson and Richmond, and not being cordially received, they went to Society Hill in South Carolina, at which place Mr. White remained for some time as pastor of a Baptist church which was devoted to him, and which, in his subsequent missionary operations became to him much what the church at Philippi did to Paul.

Among those who came with Mr. and Mrs. White were Alexander McNeill, and James McKellar, both ministers. McNeill died in South Carolina in August, 1808, less than a year after they landed in this country. James McKellar was for a time pastor of Three Creeks Church, in South Carolina.

After remaining at Society Hill for a short time Mr. White moved to Richmond County and located near Spring Hill. He still made missionary journeys into South Carolina, as well as to several counties in the Southeastern section of North Carolina. Here he preached wherever he had opportunity and with some who had come with him from Scotland the first Baptist church was organized in that section of the State.

Spring Hill Baptist Church was organized May 23, 1813. The following ministers composed the presbytery: Daniel White, Benjamin Mosely and

Robert Thomas. The members who went into the organization were dismissed from the Cheraw Hill Baptist Church, in South Carolina. In 1807 some of them came from Scotland and North Britain with letters of dismission to certify their fellowship with the churches there, and authorizing them to join some church in this country. They joined the Cheraw Hill Baptist Church. The Spring Hill Church was organized with seven members.

Rev. Daniel White was called as pastor and served until his death, but he was far better qualified for the work of missionary than that of pastor. At his own charges he went through Richmond, Robeson, Cumberland, Sampson, Duplin and into New Hanover. He was secured by the Raleigh Association to do special missionary work in Wake, and he made frequent incursions into South Carolina. He organized several churches and was, as John Charles McNeill says, "the father of the Scotch Baptists in this section."

When on one of his missionary journeys far away from home, as distances were considered in that day, he was stricken with a fatal illness while preaching, and was carried to the home of a Mr. Henry, in Duplin County. Mr. Henry and his family, cared tenderly for the man of God, and all that the best medical skill within reach could do, was done for him, but the God whom he had so faithfully served called him up higher. His remains were laid to rest in the Colville burying ground, near the home of the kind man who ministered to him in his last illness. He was a young man, just a little past forty when he was called away.

Mrs. White was a great help to her husband. She was in thorough sympathy with him in all

his undertakings, and possessing business ability to a marked degree she managed the farm and trained the children, while her husband was away as he was so much of the time.

Mrs. White was deeply interested in missions, especially foreign missions, as was her husband. She organized a woman's missionary society and also a children's society which corresponded to our Sunbeams. So far as is known these were the first missionary societies organized in the State. The members of the woman's missionary society sold butter and eggs and gave part of the proceeds to missions. Mrs. White encouraged the children to make the money they gave in order that they might learn to make sacrifices for the cause of Christ. She bought walnuts, and other little things which the children brought to her and in that way aided them in making the money they gave.

"The workers die, but the work goes on." A young man, John Monroe by name, had been converted and responded to a call to the ministry. An interesting story of his conversion has come down from eye witnesses. Preaching service had been appointed at the home of Rev. Daniel White for a week night. Providentially, we must believe, two noted preachers, William Dorsey and R. T. Daniel drove up to the home of Pastor White to spend the night. These visitors were on the way from Fayetteville to Cheraw to attend some general denominational meeting, probably an association. They were asked to preach, of course. Preaching and praying continued all night, as there was marked interest among the unsaved who were present. There were many conversions, one of those who made a profession being young John Monroe. Our informant says that when the

morning came the converts were taken down to Fairley's Ford on the Lumbee River and baptized. This incident gives some idea of the burning evangelistic zeal of Daniel White and others of his day. It reminds us of Paul and his companions who on the way to the important conference at Jerusalem preached to the people in the country through which they passed.

Mr. Monroe preached at several churches in Richmond and Robeson counties. After a pastorate of a few years at Spring Hill he resigned and Rev. William Beattie, of South Carolina, was called, and served the church for two or three years. He then resigned and Mr. Monroe became pastor again, which position he held until his death. His pastorate stretched over sixty-five years, the longest pastorate, so far as is known, ever held by any man in the State.

Mr. Monroe was not a seed sower as was Mr. White, but he was a builder. His ideals as to what a Christian life should be fixed the church on a high spiritual plane. The standard which he held up was so exalted that when one joined the church under his ministry he usually lived a consistent Christian life. During his long pastorate there were but few cases of discipline. He was a man of remarkable faith. He had the kind of faith that caused him to believe that God would answer His people when they asked for needed temporal blessings if they asked in faith. When there was a protracted drouth he would appoint a day for "fasting, humiliation and prayer," and the older citizens of the community will bear testimony that such a day was very soon followed by refreshing rain.

After the organization of the church no records are available until April 4, 1885, when the min-

utes of a conference are signed "Rufus Ford, Moderator, Robert Monroe, Clerk." The history of the church during the long lapse of years we learn from tradition and from facts furnished by those who can remember what occurred during more recent years.

For many years the church held no regular conferences, such meetings being called as special occasion might require. Annual protracted meetings were held, not at any stated time, but at seasons which were most convenient. The meeting was sometimes held in the late summer, after crops were "laid by" and again in the late fall or winter after crops had been gathered. In the memory of the older members of this generation the man who was most frequently invited to hold meetings was Mr. Thomas, pastor of a group of churches in Marlborough County, South Carolina. At two or three of these annual meetings the preaching was done by Rev. J. O. B. Dargan, father of Dr. E. C. Dargan. Rev. John Culpepper was another preacher who held meetings at Spring Hill in the old days.

According to the most reliable information obtainable the church has had five houses of worship. The first was a log house, the second a frame building which was discarded when a still larger house became necessary, and the old building was converted into a school house. The third was a large frame building with a porch running across the front supported by large white columns. There were galleries on the sides and in the rear for the accommodation of the slaves, many of whom were members of the church, as the Negroes did not have churches of their own during the days of slavery. When the Lord's Supper was observed the Negro members were in-

vited to come down and occupy seats in the rear of the church. They were served by the deacons after the white people had been waited on.

The third building was divided by a partition which was as high as the backs of the seats. One side of the church was occupied by men and the other by women. This division was kept up until the fourth house was erected.

About the beginning of 1880 Mr. Monroe was growing old, and many of the members felt that a younger man was needed. The old shepherd was so generally beloved and so highly respected by all—those of other denominations as well as his own—that every one feared to suggest to him any change. This delicate problem was happily solved. Rev. Rufus Ford had completed his course at the seminary, and was called to a field in Marlborough, South Carolina. He was invited to do the preaching in a protracted meeting at Spring Hill. He captured the church with his preaching and his gentle manners. He was most deferential to "Uncle John Monroe" as he was called by every one in the community, and treated him as "a father in Israel." In turn, "Uncle John" formed a warm attachment for the young preacher. Some of the younger members asked Mr. Ford if he would give Spring Hill one Sunday in a month if satisfactory arrangements could be made. He said it was a very delicate matter, and if it did not meet with "Uncle John's" cordial approval he would not consider for a moment entertaining a call to the church. When the matter was mentioned to the old pastor he expressed himself as very much pleased with the proposed arrangement. Mr. Ford said he would not come except as assistant pastor. This arrangement was made, Mr. Ford preaching one Sunday in each

month and the Saturday before, and Mr. Monroe preaching one Sunday. A monthly conference was held on the Saturday that Mr. Ford preached.

After keeping up this arrangement for, perhaps, two years Mr. Ford resigned, as he wanted his field more compact. But after the lapse of a year or two, at the earnest request of the church he again took up the work with the same arrangement as formerly.

The minutes of the monthly conference show that, as a general thing, there was no business of great importance transacted. Most of the time was given to the ever present and vexatious question of finance. In that respect church conferences are quite similar, and have not changed materially since that day. Committees were appointed for various things such as replacing broken glass in the windows, repairing the steps, putting locks on the doors, cleaning out the well, and similar matters. In one of the records we find that the church agreed to pay half the expense of cleaning out the well, the other half presumably to be paid by the school.

At a conference held on May 5, 1885, we have the first mention of a cemetery. A motion was made to buy a lot for a burying ground. The matter was postponed until the next conference at which time it was laid on the table. From time to time the matter was discussed, and at last a piece of ground was purchased. The first person to be buried in the new cemetery was Duncan Johnson, the oldest deacon of the church.

In August, 1885, Rev. Rufus Ford resigned, resignation to take effect at the close of the year. The following committee was appointed to recommend an assistant pastor: Robert Monroe, Arch'd McNeill, D. W. Livingston and Livingston Johnson. At

a conference held December 5, 1885, the committee reported that Rev. J. W. Wildman agreed to preach on each fifth Sunday and Saturday afternoon before. This arrangement was made.

At a conference on October 31, 1886, Mr. Wildman proposed that Laurinburg, Alma and Spring Hill form a field, agreeing, if this could be done, to give Spring Hill one Sunday in each month. The field was formed and Mr. Wildman accepted a call to Spring Hill at a salary of $150.00. There is an explanatory note subjoined to these minutes which states that after agreeing to preach once a month Mr. Wildman was asked to supply a pulpit in Richmond, Virginia, for six months. As his health was not good he wanted to take advantage of this opportunity to receive treatment from a specialist. He was released and Rev. B. H. Phillips was secured as assistant pastor. Mr. Phillips accepted the call and served for six months, at the conclusion of which time he went to West Virginia in response to a call. It was then that Mr. Wildman accepted a call as noted above. The record of the conferences during the six months' pastorate of Rev. B. H. Phillips was lost.

In June, 1887, Mr. Wildman tendered his resignation, as he had accepted a call to Greenville, N. C. Livingston Johnson, A. McNeill and M. Monroe were appointed a committee to recommend a successor to Mr. Wildman. After conference with the other churches on the field, the committee recommended that Rev. A. W. Price, of Whiteville, be called. The report of the committee was adopted.

After minutes bearing above date there is inserted the following:

"Robert Monroe departed this life on Friday, November 9, 1888.—J. M."

Robert Monroe was the son of Rev. John Monroe, and it was the venerable, grief-stricken father who made the notation. For many years Robert Monroe had been clerk of the church.

April 20, 1889, Livingston Johnson was ordained to the ministry. The ordaining presbytery consisted of Rev. John Monroe, Rev. A. W. Price and Rev. B. H. Phillips. The examination was public, service beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. Rev. A. W. Price conducted the examination and preached the sermon; Rev. B. H. Phillips delivered the charge and Rev. John Monroe offered the prayer.

At a conference June 15, 1889, B. H. Phillips, T. M. Watson, and A. McNeill were appointed to recommend what should be done in regard to installing a baptistery in the church. This matter was carried over from time to time, and at last a baptistery was built in the house which was being used at that time, but it was never satisfactory, and was not used often. To anticipate it may be said here that the present baptistery has never been used, and why should it be when the Lord has provided such a beautiful natural baptistery at the Lumber River, and the bathing houses furnish excellent facilities for dressing rooms.

The venerable and greatly beloved pastor, Rev. John Monroe died in 1889. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. A. W. Thomas, a life-long friend of Mr. Monroe, Mr. Thomas being assisted by Rev. Rufus Ford who, when notified of the serious illness of Mr. Monroe came immediately to be with this "father in Israel" in his last hours. Standing by the grave after it had been filled Mr. Thomas offered a prayer in which he used this expression: "May the clods rest lightly on that breast which so often heaved for others."

A sufficient sum was subscribed to procure a marble tablet to be placed on the walls of the church as a memorial to Rev. John Monroe. It had been hoped that the body would be buried near the church which he served so long and so faithfully, but the family desired the remains to be placed by the grave of his devoted wife who had preceded him to the "Glory Land." At a later date John Charles McNeill collected funds to have a similar tablet placed to the memory of Rev. Daniel White. Soon after the death of Rev. John Monroe, Alma withdrew from the field and Spring Hill called Rev. A. W. Price for half time.

May 15, 1891, Rev. A. W. Price offered his resignation to accept a call to the Wadesboro Church. Rev. M. L. Kesler, who was Sunday School Secretary of the Baptist State Convention, with headquarters in Raleigh, was called to the field and accepted. According to the minutes he held his first conference with the church on October 27, 1891.

At the last conference in 1894 a letter of dismission was granted to Arch'd Johnson to unite with the church at Red Springs. On April 18, 1896, Rev. M. L. Kesler resigned to accept a call to the church at High Point. J. L. Holland and family were received by letter from Aberdeen Church.

The committee which had been appointed to recommend a pastor presented the name of Rev. W. M. Jones, of Virginia, and he was called. The committee was composed of W. J. Matthews, A. McNeill and A. J. Connelly. Mr. Jones accepted and entered upon his work in July, 1896.

A committee consisting of A. A. McMillan, A. McNeill, John McGougan and T. M. Watson was appointed to advise as to whether it was better to repair the old church or build a new one. J. L. Holland was later added to the committee. Though

several reports were made by the committee and discussed in conference nothing was done for several years.

From this point on there is no written data, and the history must of necessity be meagre and imperfect. Many important details will, no doubt, be omitted. Information as to this period in the life of the church has been received from one of the members whose memory as to persons and datas is trustworthy. From this informant we learn that Rev. F. O. S. Curtis was called to the field in January, 1900, and served until December, 1901, a period of two years. Rev. W. M. Jones left the field in July, 1899. During August of 1900 a fruitful meeting was held in which pastor Curtis was assisted by Dr. J. Q. Adams, of Reidsville. There were twelve received for baptism, names not given.

Rev. R. G. Kendrick was called to succeed pastor Curtis. He came to the field in December, 1902, and remained until the spring of 1906. Though his pastorate lasted but three years and six months it was characterized by a progress not hitherto known. Mr. Kendrick was a good preacher, a fine pastor, a man of very pronounced convictions and courage to maintain them. He was full of energy and could not be content unless progress was being made. As has been stated above the new church had been discussed for several years before Mr. Kendrick came, and a committee had been at work in an effort to secure funds but no definite steps were taken until Mr. Kendrick assumed pastoral care of the church.

Deacon T. M. Watson, member of the building committee, gave much time and personal attention to the building. This building, like the former ones, was of wood. The church regretted to lose their energetic pastor, but he felt that his work on the field was finished and left soon after the building was completed.

Mr. Kendrick was followed by Rev. W. H. Whitehead, who remained less than two years. He came to the field in October, 1906, and left in 1908.

The beloved Thomas G. Wood was called and came to the field in November, 1908. Mr. Wood was a cultured, consecrated, Christian gentleman, a man of broad vision and deeply interested in all the work of the denomination. He took a vital interest in civic affairs and was held in high esteem by all the citizens of the community. He was gentle in manner, and had a warm, sympathetic nature which made him everybody's friend. He was instrumental in deepening the missionary spirit of the church. He preached missions and gave liberally according to his ability.

As Laurinburg had drawn off from the field in order to have full time preaching, Spring Hill went to full time. The salary was small, being only $800.00 and a home, but the cost of living was much less then than now, and Mr. Wood was a fine manager. Owing to failing health this beloved pastor resigned in 1913.

After the resignation of Mr. Wood the church was without a pastor for several months. Rev. W. E. Goode accepted a call and entered upon the work in July, 1914. Mr. Goode preached three Sundays at Spring Hill and one at Aberdeen. By an arrangement later he preached at Spring Hill two Sunday mornings and two Sunday nights, and the same time at Maxton. This gave each place one service each Sunday. This arrangement did not prove satisfactory and Mr. Goode accepted a call for full time at Spring Hill at a salary of $1,500.00 and a home.

The little town of Wagram sprang up one mile from the old church. Mr. Goode believed it would be better to move the church to the town. There was naturally much opposition to this at first. Senti-

ment made the old location very dear to many of the older members especially. Many of them had found Christ there and in the new burying ground lay the remains of loved ones. Withal, the church was located in a beautiful grove and the quiet of the place contributed to the spirit of worship. At last, however, those who were opposed yielded to the will of the majority and the new brick building was erected. Before removal of Spring Hill, Montpelier Presbyterian Church had been moved to Wagram from its location a mile on the opposite side of town, from old Spring Hill, and a modern school building has been erected in the town. This makes Wagram the community center. The burying ground had already grown beyond the bounds of the local church and had become the community cemetery. It will not be long until a cemetery association will be formed, and the payment of a small amount by owners of lots will keep this beautiful "village of the dead" in good condition.

As already indicated the present church was built during the pastorate of Mr. Goode. To the deep regret of all Mr. Goode resigned to accept a call to the church at Roxboro, and left the field in December, 1918, carrying with him the love and best wishes of the entire community.

In August Rev. A. C. Hamby, of Clayton, was called and entered upon his work in August, 1919. He remained but one year. The salary paid Mr. Hamby was $1,800.00 and home. He was a strong preacher and good congregations attended upon his ministry. He is now assistant to Secretary Maddry in the work of missions.

Mr. Hamby was succeeded by Dr. J. M. Arnette, who entered upon his work as pastor in August, 1920. Dr. Arnette is a man of ripe scholarship, a hard student and preaches fresh and thoughtful sermons.

He did a vast amount of mission work during his pastorate at Spring Hill, going into neglected communities with the news of salvation. He was a prodigious worker, for years traveling many miles and preaching three sermons every Sunday. In addition to the work on his own field he was in frequent demand to aid his fellow-pastors in evangelistic meetings. During Dr. Arnette's pastorate there were many additions to the church. The salary paid Dr. Arnette was $2,100.00. In 1925 he resigned giving up the work in November. He still resides at Wagram, and is engaged in evangelistic work.

Rev. J. E. Hoyle, the present pastor came to the field January 1, 1926, from the church at Wingate. As Raeford was without a pastor, and as Spring Hill had lost considerable of its financial strength by deaths and removals, the two churches have formed a field each having half-time preaching. Mr. Hoyle is making a fine start and the future of the old church is bright.

Hudson McMillan was licensed to preach by the Spring Hill Church about the year 1905, and his brother John Arch at a later date. John Arch was ordained at Burnsville, N. C., where he was serving as pastor. A. E. Brown, D.D., preached the ordination sermon. Hudson was ordained at Spring Hill in 1911, Rev. T. G. Wood, pastor of the church, and John Arch McMillan constituting the presbytery. John Arch McMillan preached the ordination sermon. For nearly fourteen years Hudson has been an earnest and successful missionary in China. After serving churches as pastor in this State and in South Carolina John Arch McMillan was elected Alumni Secretary of Wake Forest College, a position which he has filled and is still filling with great success.

Spring Hill Church has always been a small body. Beginning with the Scriptural sacred number seven.

after more than a hundred years the membership is less than 150, and it is larger now than ever before. The church has never had a member of large wealth, as wealth is counted now; but it has ever had something more valuable than large numbers and great wealth—it has had high ideals and holy aspirations. Its ministry from the first has been far above the average. Its pastors have been aggressive, broad-minded men, and with few exceptions they have been college graduates, and many of them had received seminary training. If "like people like priest" is true in some cases, in regard to Spring Hill it would be more accurate to say "like priest like people" for the pastors of the church have been leaders, not followers.

While the church in its life of more than a century has sent out but few preachers, it has given to the world scores of men and women who are filling positions of usefulness and honor in other walks of life. There have gone out from the church lawyers, physicians, teachers, business men, and "noble women not a few."

Though many have left the church and gone out into the world a sufficient number has remained to "keep the home fires burning," and among these have ever been some of the salt of the earth. Those of us who have gone away can join with those who remain in offering for the church the wish of the Psalmist, "Peace be within thy walls and prosperity within thy palaces."

May this church stand as a light house until Christ comes, and may it ever be a place, "Whither the tribes of the Lord go up unto the testimony of Israel, to give thanks unto the name of the Lord."

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T. D. Flack, *Superintendent Group 3*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
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W. M. U. CONVENTION

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Mrs. May D. Redfern, *Personal Service*.....Peachland, N. C.
Mrs. Bruce Gore, *Stewardship*.....Rockingham, N. C.
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Mrs. O. W. McManus, *Scotland Division President*.....Gibson, N. C.

Delegate Baptist State Convention—W. H. Moore.....Wadesboro, N.C.
Associational Missionary—None.
Standing Committee—None.
Laymen's Movement—None.
B. Y. P. U., Sunday School, and W. M. U., Conventions meet on other dates.
Officers Baptist Schools or other institutions—None.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

1934 Session

Ansonville—Mrs. Nell S. Young, E. G. Waddell, Mrs. R. E. Keelyn, Mrs. Bessie Staton, Mrs. J. K. Dunlap, Mrs. Florence T. Sullivan.

Bethel—C. H. Hartsell, Grady Jenkins, Cyrus Pusser, Mrs. C. H. Hartsell, Mrs. Grady Jenkins, Miss Irene Stuart.

Cartledge Creek—Hal Kelly, T. G. Thomas, Miss Lizzie Dockery, Mrs. Ella Biddix, W. H. Covington.

Cobb Memorial—Will Grant, A. J. Bacot, A. L. Honeycutt, Mrs. L. L. Deaver, Mrs. A. J. Bacot, Mrs. A. L. Honeycutt.

Deep Creek—R. G. Griggs, J. M. Griggs, Mrs. G. N. Little, Mrs. Eva Britt, Miss Rosalind Griggs.

East Laurinburg—J. B. Stanley, R. L. Thompson, Joe Alford.

East Rockingham—Miss Maude Millikin, H. D. Freeman, B. H. McCoy, J. Marvin Smith.

Ellerbe—B. B. Covington, Mrs. C. M. Brady, Mrs. E. E. Vuncannon, Walter Hogan, D. F. Warner, Carmon Greene.

Gibson—Carroll McNeill, Francis Boulard, Oscar Quick, O. W. McManus.

Gum Springs—Mrs. Beatrice Hedrick, Mrs. W. H. Land, H. M. Cox, J. R. Hutchinson, A. R. Brothers.

Hamlet, First—B. R. Carroll, F. H. Walker, C. C. Robinson, E. P. Pearce, Marion S. Lynch.

Hoffman—J. F. Butler, D. T. Covington.

Laurinburg, First—R. E. L. Correll, W. L. Fields, Mrs. W. L. Fields, L. B. Stutts, A. A. James, Mrs. Barrett.

Lilesville—M. S. Carter, F. W. Warick, James G. Farlow, Robert Ingram, Fred Liles, W. A. Ingram.

Midway—D. A. Taylor, Clyde Benoist, Ruff Strickland.

Morven—Mrs. J. N. Johnson, Mrs. J. S. Liles, Mrs. H. G. Huntley, E. B. Vaughn.

Mt. Olive—P. L. Long, O. P. Long, R. L. Dawkins, Mrs. R. L. Dawkins.

McDonald—Franklin Haigler, Roy McDonald, Ben Ussery, John L. McDonald, Lena Marks.

Peachland—A. D. Griffin, A. D. German, C. A. Redfern, Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Harroll, Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Pee Dee—S. L. Long, Roy Ballard, T. P. Seago, A. C. Phifer, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Sam Caulder.

Pleasant Grove (A)—W. Garris, J. I. McGill.

Pleasant Grove (R)—W. F. Campbell, J. B. Richardson, D. Lee Campbell, A. H. Farmer, Mrs. A. H. Farmer.

Polkton—S. L. Thomas, R. W. Baucom, R. J. Harrington, Mrs. R. G. Austin, Mrs. B. L. Curlee.

Red Hill—J. D. Porter, J. W. Threadgill, K. N. Edwards, Miss Louise Harrington, Mrs. W. B. Martin.

Roberdel—Mrs. Sallie Dunn, Miss Sadie Hutchinson, Miss Elizabeth Nicholson, Mrs. J. W. Miller.

Rockingham, First—Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Mrs. Bessie Warner, Mrs. F. I. Mason, John T. Henry, Claude Gore, Mrs. Claude Gore.

Saron—J. D. Covington, Jackson Meacham, H. C. Biles, Floyd Ussery, Donald McRae.

Spring Hill—E. C. Smith, A. D. Thomas, Gussie McMillian, Fulford McMillian, D. W. L. Smith.

Steeles—L. B. Quick, J. M. Cash, R. R. Ussery, W. H. Fitzer, Mrs. O. D. Bland, Miss Margaret Ussery, Mrs. Essie Spittle.

Wade—Kennedy Berry, James Hutchinson, T. D. Flack, Kathleen Tarlton, Mrs. T. D. Flack.

Wadesboro, First—Mrs. W. H. Moore, W. H. Moore, Miss Rose Cox, K. W. Ashcraft, Mrs. H. W. Little.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be called the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

ARTICLE 2. This Association shall be composed of messengers elected annually by the Baptist churches co-operating with this Association.

ARTICLE 3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected as the first item of business after reading letters and enrollment of messengers, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE 4. The objects of this Association are Missionary, Educational and Benevolent, together with the deeper fellowships and larger Christian usefulness of all who co-operate with it.

ARTICLE 5. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

ARTICLE 6. The churches co-operating with this Association shall send by the hands of their messenger, a full account of all work done by them during the year, and all such statistics and information as will be interesting and helpful.

ARTICLE 7. This Association shall meet once a year at such time and place as may be agreed upon by the preceding session, or by its Executive Board.

ARTICLE 8. The Association shall elect a Promotion-Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association. Each member to be recommended by his church and elected by the Association for a term of one year. The officers of the Association and the Ministers of the churches are to be *ex-officio* members of this Committee. Eleven members present shall constitute a quorum of this Committee.

ARTICLE 9. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint some one to write a report of the whole Co-operative Program; and it shall be the duty of the Program Committee to appoint a leader to speak on each phase of the work. And it shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint a committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next session, and to make all nominations for officers and executive committees.

ARTICLE 10. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers attending such meeting: *Provided,* that notice of such change shall have been given during the first sitting of said meeting after permanent organization.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.

3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.

4. Unbrotherly remarks and personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.

5. The parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

PEE DEE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rockingham, North Carolina

October 23, 1934

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION

October 23, 1934, at 10:00 A.M.

1. A. B. Welch, Rockingham, led in the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," and "Jesus Saves," as the One Hundred Nineteenth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association assembled in Annual meeting with the Pee Dee Baptist Church, Rockingham.

2. At the appointed hour 10:00 A.M., Bruce Benton, Rockingham, Moderator of the last session, calls the Association to the transaction of business.

3. Devotional service is led by John R. Miller, Spring Hill Baptist Church. His thoughts of worship being based on the Sixth Chapter of Judges, beginning with verse eleven. W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, prayed.

4. Charles B. Deane, Clerk, is designated as Committee on Enrollment. *Enrollment:* Complying with the Constitution and upon roll call reports from all of the thirty-one churches in the Association were reported having filed their Church Letters prior to the Association date and each church represented by Messengers, except Ansonville, Hoffman, and Pleasant Grove (A). It was ruled that the 400 or more people registered for the sessions, being the largest delegation present in many years, shall constitute the Association.

5. The following Committees are released by Moderator Benton:
   - A. *Nominating Committee:* The members of the 1933 Promotion Executive Committee and the Pastors of the Association.
   - B. *Committee on Committees:* J. B. Willis, *Chairman,* Luther Knight, D. W. L. Smith.
   - C. *Committee on New Churches:* E. M. Brooks, *Chairman,* J. Marvin Smith, Claude Gore.

Song: "Love Lifted Me."

6. On request of the Moderator the following new pastors within the Association came forward and are welcomed into the sessions: Kenny Berry, Wade Baptist Church, Wadesboro; Charles E. Stevens, Morven Baptist Church, Society Hill, S. C.; and J. I. McGill, Lilesville and Pleasant Grove Baptist Church (A), Monroe, N. C.

7. A cordial welcome is extended to visiting brethren, Dr. C. J. Allen, Fairmont, representing General Secretary M. A. Huggins; Superintendent J. B. Hough, Kennedy Home, Kinston, representing the Orphanage; Rev. D. H. Ives, Carthage, representing the *Biblical Recorder;* and Rev. J. A. Seymour, Hartsville, S. C.

8. D. H. Ives is introduced and presents in an able way our worthy Baptist organ, the *Biblical Recorder.* Clerk C. B. Deane, follows with a statistical report revealing the small percentage of the Association membership who are supporting this splendid publication.

9. *Chairman* T. W. Hearne submits for the Nominating Committee the following names as officers for the present sessions: Bruce Benton, Rockingham, N. C., Moderator; Benjamin M. Covington, Vice Moderator, Wadesboro, N. C.; Charles B. Deane, Clerk and Treasurer, Rockingham, N. C.; E. M. Brooks, Historian, Peachland, N. C.

These nominees are, upon motion by W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, unanimously elected.

10. J. B. Willis, as *Chairman,* announces the report of the Committee on Committees:

A. *Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher:* D. W. McManus, *Chairman,* R. E. L. Correll, J. M. Watson.

B. *Committee to Plan 1935 Program:* W. Emory Trainham, *Chairman,* W. H. Moore, C. B. Deane.

C. *Committee to Audit Books of Treasurer:* Claude Gore, *Chairman,* E. P. Pearce, W. E. Harrison.

D. *Committee to Nominate Promotion-Executive Committee:* John R. Miller, *Chairman,* J. Marvin Smith, A. R. Brothers.

11. A special order claiming the attention of the assembly now is a request from New Hope Baptist Church, organized November 12, 1933, which seeks admission into the Pee Dee Baptist Association. This application is referred to the Committee on New Churches.

Song: "Sweet By and By."

12. Time for the introductory sermon having arrived, W. H. Moore, Wadesboro Baptist Church, brings the Annual Message, using as his theme "Who Is Jesus of Nazareth?" from the text, Matthew 16:16. This pointed and able sermon was happily received.

13. What is considered one of the outstanding Association Reports of several years is read in his own vivid and striking language by Pastor J. C. Meigs, Polkton. John R. Miller, Raeford, moved and this report is unanimously adopted and follows herewith:

ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

Baptists have made a motion at least toward accepting the challenge of the Savior who said, "Preach, baptize, teach and heal." In this all-inclusive program we are trying to follow the example of the early Christians who put all their gifts into a common fund and distributed them to each cause in proportion to its need.

MISSIONS

We imagine missions to be divided into State, Home and Foreign, only for convenience sake. In reality it is one whole. Whether we preach the gospel in our own local church on Sunday morning or on the streets of London or in a chapel in the midst of China, it is missions. Whether we teach a child the scripture in the Sunday School class or train a native of Africa to preach the gospel, it is missions. Jesus said, "I am not come to be ministered unto but to minister." And again He said, "As the Father hath sent me, even so send I you." A missionary is one sent. Therefore that which we find ourselves engaged in as a Christian worker is missions.

State Missions

14. State Mission work in North Carolina has to do with missions in this State. The State Mission Board, as it used to be called, set itself to the task of giving the gospel to every person in the state and winning them to the fellowship of the churches; of fostering a thorough, systematic and efficient teaching program through the Sunday School with the Bible as the text book, and assisting through education, information and inspiration, each church in training its young people, who have been won to Christ, baptized into the fellowship of His body and taught in the Bible, how to work in the church. How well the task has been performed can be gleaned from the records of Baptist history in this State.

Today the gospel is being preached in many needy and strategic places, about one hundred and thirty churches being assisted in this respect. Churches in educational centers are aided in order that they may properly minister to students away from home and the home church. In spite of shortage of funds, several churches, four of them in educational centers, are being helped to build adequate houses of worship. Rev. Wayne Williams is ministering to the sick veterans in the Government Hospital at Oteen, N. C. The responsibility of preaching the gospel to the Indians in our midst has also been assumed by the General Board and is now a part of our own State Mission work. While we must not spend all our energies in our own State, we must maintain a strong home base for the sake of the work abroad.

Home Missions

15. The Home Mission Board would invite Southern Baptists to rethink Home Missions and to make a new apraisal of Home Mission work in the light of present-day world movements. The geographical frontiers have given place to social, racial and economic frontiers. The points at which the destitution of the gospel is most acute and pronounced, is not in the sparsely-settled west, or the fastnesses of some mountain cove but in the midst of congested industrial centers. Our very existence is in jeopardy in the midst of the great social and moral issues of the day that are taking shape in our territory, a great deal of which is being moulded in the hands of foreigners and those with pagan ideals. Perhaps the most challenging call of the hour is to make the home land Christian.

The Board has in all departments and fields of its work, 202 missionaries and workers, maintaining more than 400 places of worship, operating in whole or in part five good-will centers; two rescue missions and a seaman's institute; it has fifteen schools operated by its missionaries and is furnishing the property of eight mountain schools free of charge to boards of trustees to operate schools in the mountains; it is operating a tubercular sanatorium; and has a building and loan fund with more than a million dollars loaned to churches. Through increased gifts, fifteen new missionaries have been added this year and the debts of the Board are being gradually reduced.

Foreign Missions

16. We do not believe that the Lord, since the day He stood on Olivet and gave to His followers the signal to start upon the incomparable task of giving the gospel to the world, has for one moment willed that His people should beat a retreat. But through faintheartedness and fear, Southern Baptists have some 140 fewer missionaries on the field than a few years ago. The evidences are abundant, however, that such shameful retreat is ended and that the Lord's hosts are girding themselves for a great forward movement.

In the first place the debt that has been, and is now hanging about our necks, is being definitely and increasingly reduced. From the sum of $1,115,000 to $990,000 in sixteen months is indeed encouraging. There has been a substantial increase in general gifts for the first part of this year. The Lottie Moon offering was forty-four thousand dollars more than a year ago while the Hundred Thousand Club has contributed thirty-two thousand dollars. In the second place through the W. M. S., which exceeded its goal by forty thousand dollars and because of special gifts from friends and churches, the Board was able to dedicate fifteen new missionaries at the Southern Baptist Convention in May. Today in fourteen countries 394 faithful men and women are repeating the kind of work done in the days of the Apostles.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

17. Of all denominations Baptists ought to be the strongest advocates of denominational, Christian schools. This is true for at least two reasons. First, a Baptist, according to the late Dr. E. Y. Mullins, is a person who will seek the truth and accept it when he finds it. If that is the true definition of a Baptist, and we have no reason to dispute it, we need to guarantee that our constituency shall have the untrammeled right and privilege to be taught in institutions and by instructors who are neither ashamed of the truth nor afraid to follow it to its conclusion.

In the second place Baptists force upon themselves the obligation to maintain their own schools because of their insistence upon separation of church and state. Education in the fields of science, history, literature, art, philosophy, etc., divorced from its proper relation to the God of the universe and the Bible, His revealed will, is too narrow and limited in its scope to satisfy man's thirst for knowledge. Education is a child of religion. When it is adopted by the state, alienation from the parent immediately begins. If time is given, the parent and the child becomes strangers; and when sufficient time is given, estrangement is changed into positive hostility. Let every church school in the world be closed tomorrow and in twenty-five years the churches greatest enemy will be a godless form of education. Our very nature as Baptists makes Christian education for us indispensable. We can carry on and hold our own as a denomination with it, but without it we will disintegrate and decay.

The Baptists of North Carolina have inherited from the sacrifices of their fathers three standard colleges and four junior colleges. Two of the junior colleges are under the control of the convention and two are independent. Of these institutions we have no reason to be ashamed. A debt of considerable proportions rests upon some of them but the most serious part about them is not their debts, the debts will take care of themselves when we have an aroused consciousness of their worth to our work. Education truly is power. Kept Christian, it will help us mightily in the Lord's work. Education divorced from the teaching of Jesus will aid materially in damning us. Let us rise with the power of our united might and in Jesus' name strengthen that which remains.

BENEVOLENCES

The Hospital

18. Baptists have been slow in following their Lord in the field of physical healing. It is true that one can render but little service if it be apart from the soul, but Jesus made the healing of the body the occasion for saving the soul, and so may we. There is no better way to express our appreciation for the gift of health than to share it with those who have it not.

Our hospital at Winston-Salem has proven itself worthy of our respect and support by the work it has done. It has furnished pastors to

churches by restoring the minister's health; it has decreased the number of dependent widows by saving their husbands from an untimely death; it has reduced the number of orphan children that would have been our obligation by healing their mothers; but best of all it has demonstrated the fact that our Baptist people can heal their own diseases by the promptings of pure love and thereby magnify and glorify the name of Jesus our Lord.

By the cultivation of a wise consideration of this ministry of healing we can make Mother's Day mean for the sick of the State, what Thanksgiving Day has come to mean to the orphan child. We would urge that every church and Sunday School in the Association remember the Hospital the second Sunday in May with a love offering, so that many that are sick will be visited, and many that are diseased will be healed.

The Orphanage

19. Our Baptist Orphanage in two units, the Mills Home at Thomasville and the Kennedy Home at Kinston, is the most beloved of all our institutions. The orphan child has an appeal all its own. There are at present in the two homes some 627 children and about 170 assisted by mother's aid. The Orphanage management did a marvelous piece of financing last year. Expenses at Thomasville were reduced in 1933, $25,657.08 and at the Kennedy Home $5,347.83. This was done without reducing the number of children except a slight curtailment in mother's aid.

Charity and Children, one of the best edited papers of a religious nature in the South, is the voice of the orphan child in the State. It should by all means be a part of the Sunday School literature in every church. The most ideal way yet tried for supporting the orphanage is the men once a month collection in the Sunday School and the Thanksgiving offering in November. If all the churches of the State would adopt this plan and follow it faithfully the problems of support would be met.

Relief and Annuity

20. The Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has been operating since 1918, and in addition to paying benefits of more than a quarter million dollars, has accumulated endowments and resources approximately four and a quarter million dollars.

The greater part of the money paid in benefits has been paid through its relief department, this amount being approximately one million seven hundred thousand dollars. The amount paid in annuities being more than five hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

It should be understood by our people that the contributions made by them through the co-operative program, if not designated otherwise, goes to the relief of aged ministers and widows and are not used for producing annuities. There are many needy preachers and widows in the convention territory who receive very little help and many more who

receive nothing at all. The only way this defect can be remedied is through increased gifts of the people through the co-operative program.

The board has set itself definitely to the task of preventing old-age dependency among preachers and widows, but the job can only be done by the co-operation of the ministry and the churches.

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Sunday School

21. It has been said that, "Baptists have more truth and do less with it than any denomination on earth." The trouble about that statement is that much of the truth we have is like the two birds; it is not in the head or hand but in the bush. We claim all the truth in the world, but only that part of it which we appropriate is really ours. No other people are under as much obligation to know the truth as we are. Our church government demands for its successful operation adherents who know the teachings of the Bible; our position as to soul liberty, requires individual interpretative power which can only be had by a close study of the plan of redemption and our insistence upon individual voluntariness in service makes a thorough knowledge of the doctrine of stewardship an absolute necessity. "Teach them," was as much a part of the commission as to go or to preach. We have the blessed fruits of the gospel today because Jesus did not stop with his disciples when they believed and were baptized, but he taught them three years as preparation for the perpetuation of the gospel.

The Sunday School is at present our main dependence for teaching. Some progress has been made in this department but not as much perhaps as we have persuaded ourselves to believe. We have indeed made splendid progress along the line of building, equipment and organization but these in themselves do not guarantee successful teaching. John Hopkins on one end of a log and a student on the other may not meet the demands of the modern university, but the principle involved is the fundamental essence of good teaching. We have been to the forest for lumber, to the earth for brick, to Portland for cement and to the Sunday School Board for organization and method; it is time now for us to go to God for teachers. Jesus looking upon a world wrapped in ignorance and steeped in sin was moved to say to his disciples, "Lift up your eyes and look upon the fields that are white already unto harvest. Pray ye the Lord of the harvest that he sends laborers, for the work is plentiful but the workers are few."

B. Y. P. U.

22. The hardest organization to keep going in the average church is the Baptist Young People's Union. There are possibly two good reasons for this fact. In the first place the organization has never been taken very seriously by the adult members of the church. They have not regarded it as spiritual enough in its aim and purpose to claim much of their pious time. That kind of thinking is purely imaginary; it is alto-

gether supposition. Without a doubt the B. Y. P. U. movement that started in North Carolina in 1909, has been a sad disappointment to many. Not that it has failed, but that it has not measured up to expectations. The fault has not been in the organization nor in the young people for whom it was intended; but its work has been limited by the indifference on the part of fathers and mothers and pastors.

A second reason a B. Y. P. U. organization is hard to keep going in the churches is the exact opposite of the first reason. It is too spiritual in its force and application when directed by the right kind of leadership, to make an appeal to the young people that is strong enough to hold them without the sincere urge and co-operation of their parents. Therefore the very reasons that make the organization hard to keep alive and alert challenges us to redouble our efforts on its behalf. In other words; if any sort of organization is able to attract and hold our young people without the help and encouragement of their parents, it must be of such complete social nature as to make it objectionable to the parents. If, on the other hand it is to be of such spiritual nature as can be endowed by adults, it will never attract and hold the young people unless the older members of the church give it their whole hearted and unselfish support. That is exactly what the B. Y. P. U. organization is worthy of, and it must have just that if it ever succeeds. The Sunday School movement for a long time lived at poor dying rate because grown people frowned upon it as something to entertain the children. It has grown into great influence and power in the last few years because the adults of the churches have thrust strength and wisdom into it. It will even be so with our B. Y. P. U. work.

Biblical Recorder

23. We are rapidly coming to be a nation of readers. What we read makes us largely what we are. Our children read whatever they happen to lay hold upon. We accuse ourselves of being a worldly-minded people; how could we be otherwise when we consider what we feed our minds upon. We would venture the guess that in the twelve hundred Baptist homes in the Pee Dee Association, there goes, on an average, two secular papers, one farm or home journal and two magazines. Over against that the only paper we have of a religious nature, apart from *Charity and Children* which is really a part of our Sunday School literature, is the *Biblical Recorder* which only goes into one home out of six once per week.

Instead of two hundred subscribers to the *Recorder,* recorded in this Association, there ought to be twelve hundred. Instead of six thousand subscribers in North Carolina there ought to be fifty thousand. We

are continually calling upon our people to interest themselves in the great work of the kingdom; they must first know something about the work that is being done. The reason it is easier to raise money for home expenses than for benevolences is because those who do the giving know more about the local work. The reason it is easier to get money for the orphanage than it is for the hospital is because of the wide-spread circulation of *Charity and Children.*

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. MEIGS.

24. Charles B. Deane, Treasurer, presents his report:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rockingham, N. C.,
October 23, 1934.

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*
In Account With
THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

To amount in Bank, October 17, 1933	$ 8.05	
To amount collected for Minute Fund	181.25	
By amount paid, Ry. Express Co., Express		$ .64
By amount paid, Seeman Printery, Inc., Minutes		125.50
By amount paid, Clerk, Salary		35.00
By amount paid, postage, stamps, paper, programs		9.50
By amount paid, Federal Tax, checks		.08
To amount in Farmers Bank & Trust Co., this date		18.58
	$189.30	$189.30

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer.*

This report is, upon motion by J. B. Willis, referred to the Auditing Committee. Attention being also called to the credit balance of the Treasurer and that in 1933 the Pee Dee Baptist Association Minutes were graded by Dr. E. P. Alldredge of the Baptist Sunday School Board as the Second Best Minutes in the Southern Baptist Convention and the best in North Carolina.

25. Prior to the adjournment of the morning session, C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, spoke upon Temperance, following which J. E. Seymour prayed and the session ended.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

26. At 1:30 the Association re-assembled after partaking of dinner served by the ladies of the Pee Dee Church, and sang, "To the Work" and "Zion Stands With Hills Surrounding," with the choir of the host church accompanying.

27. Worship in prayer is led by Luther Knight, Ruby, S. C.

28. The application for admission into the Pee Dee Baptist Association of the New Hope Baptist Church is reported favorably by the Committee and upon motion by E. M. Brooks is unanimously received into the membership of the Pee Dee Baptist Association. Pastor W. J. Culler, Clerk and Treasurer B. J. Jenkins, Messengers T. F. Lentz, Frank Watson, and Arnold Chappell came forward and are extended the right hand of fellowship by the Moderator.

> The Messengers of the New Hope Baptist Church are advised to have ready by the date of the next Association a full and complete Associational Letter which is not available at this time.

29. An audit of the Treasurer's Report is reported by the Auditing Committee and upon motion by *Chairman* Claude Gore, is approved.

30. Words of praise are spoken here by Pastor W. H. Moore, Wadesboro, of the work being done by the Wade Baptist Church through the splendid leadership of Kennedy Berry, the pastor.

31. Bruce Benton, Rockingham, Roland S. Pruette, Wadesboro, K. W. Ashcraft, Wadesboro, and A. D. Griffin, Peachland, Trustees of Wingate Junior College, are upon motion by J. B. Willis endorsed as Trustees of this Institution.

32. Reporting for the Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher, O. W. McManus, *Chairman*, reads and upon motion by W. H. Moore, the report is adopted as follows: Time, Tuesday after the Third Sunday in October, 1935; Place, Gum Springs Baptist Church; Preacher, J. B. Willis, Hamlet.

33. Under the direction of the Promotion-Executive Committee a comparative study of the records of each church is presented. C. B. Deane, Clerk, opens this discussion and by exhibiting a chart reproduced on the following page, giving a digest of the work of each church for the year ending September 30, 1934, as compared with the period ending September 30, 1933. Forthwith chosen representatives from each church arose and gave the outstanding accomplishment of his church during the past year.

COMPARATIVE DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

Index Number	Churches	Number of Church Members 1933	Baptism		Total Additions		Enrollment: Sunday School		B.Y.P.U.		W.M.U.		Contributions: Local		Denominational		Total		Biblical Recorder		Denominational Aims	
			Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year
1	Ansonville		1	4	2	4	103	108	17	27	39	17	$ 406.86	$ 334.04	$ 64.83	$ 74.75	$ 471.69	$ 408.79	3	5	$	$
2	Bethel		3	2	3	2	65	55	18		17	12	108.14	149.97	16.81	28.20	124.95	178.17	2		16.25	
3	Cartledge Creek		5	7	5	7	102	86					300.66	328.96	49.73	76.20	350.39	405.16				
4	Cobb Memorial		2		6		212	162					492.77	4.25		119.46	492.77	123.71	1	2		
5	Deep Creek		8	18	12	19	55	55	26	22	49		263.82	288.75	48.77	13.79	312.59	302.54	5	3	15.00	10.00
6	East Laurinburg			8	2	9	262	252			12	12	494.77	626.38	73.05	22.78	567.82	649.16	2	4		
7	East Rockingham		7	20	22	30	282	300			8	90	1,085.36	1,913.04	13.00	47.46	1,098.36	1,960.50	4	2		50.00
8	Ellerbe		12	33	13	34	210	155	50	32	57	47	1,174.85	952.00	179.98	165.21	1,354.83	1,117.21	10	6		
9	Gibson		5	1	9	10	119	133	36	31	62	53	463.51	821.76	218.36	160.27	681.87	982.03	5	7		
10	Gum Springs		6	8	9	8	200	157	45	62	77	36	556.60	571.42	109.35	97.77	665.95	669.19	3	3		75.00
11	Hamlet, First		7	57	29	86	633	610	41	91	216	259	4,580.44	5,565.00	1847.05	2126.00	6,427.49	7,691.00	35	25	2,000.00	2,000.00
12	Hoffman		13		16		52	56	40				66.60		12.00		78.60		1			
13	Laurinburg, First		7	27	29	48	322	312	36	43	161	108	5,949.91	6,481.38	627.12	695.97	6,577.03	7,177.35	14	12		520.00
14	Lilesville		3		8	2	180	173	54	45	74	44	634.75	388.98	130.23	122.54	764.98	511.52	5	3	150.00	50.00
15	Midway		1		4	2	69	107					58.79	197.87		4.00	58.79	201.87				
16	Morven		5	8	6	9	83	75			34	40	582.67	552.01	86.13	109.02	668.80	661.03	1			
17	Mount Olive					3	45	40					91.30	49.18			91.30	49.18	1	1		
18	McDonald		1	4	3	8	78	81	41	42			255.11	104.13		2.00	255.11	106.13	2	2		10.00
19	Peachland		9	10	14	16	225	151	49	36	99	61	374.47	473.68	69.22	108.38	443.69	582.06	6	5		60.00
20	Pee Dee		2	11	5	25	180	189			15	10	1,233.95	1,359.27	112.07	147.45	1,346.02	1,506.72	2	3	175.00	60.00
21	Pleasant Grove (A)		4	8	5	13	68	68					155.00	5.00	15.00		170.00	5.00	4	2		25.00
22	Pleasant Grove (R)		5	27	5	30	100	103					385.02	774.78	38.81	42.16	423.83	816.94	1	1	40.00	10.00
23	Polkton		7	10	15	11	159	142	40	46	68	75	820.00	868.53	95.59	139.43	915.59	1,007.96	9	6		25.00
24	Red Hill		7	16	9	21	107	137	34	61	12	12	170.90	333.39	22.23	28.88	193.13	362.27	1	2	10.00	75.00
25	Roberdel				1		80	80			12	8	316.49	304.71	31.75	37.18	348.24	341.89	3	3		
26	Rockingham, First		9	13	31	30	370	353	56	60	123	90	4,858.12	4,699.98	558.57	715.08	5,416.69	5,415.06	22	25	700.00	850.00
27	Saron		6	10	12	12	95	104					120.53	157.15	35.92	93.61	156.45	250.76				
28	Spring Hill			5		9	100	100	30	30	48	57	704.62	840.89	47.32	311.51	751.94	1,152.40	7	12		225.00
29	Steeles		12	4	22	20	260	193			27	50	1,454.39	1,718.51	94.33	102.00	1,548.72	1,820.51	2	1	175.00	50.00
30	Wade		13	2	21	7	177	207		123	18	11	415.00	270.88	24.70	47.36	439.70	318.24				75.00
31	Wadesboro, First		63	9	83	17	484	432	68	61	175	178	10,507.38	8,054.75	778.92	1081.06	11,286.30	9,135.81	23	26		400.00
	Totals		223	322	401	495	5477	5176	681	832	1403	1322	$39,082.78	$39,190.64	$5400.84	$6719.52	$44,483.62	$45,910.16	174	161	$ 3,281.25	$ 4,570.00

34. In the absence of Associational W. M. U. Superintendent Mrs. Shelly Horne Rose, prevented from attending the sessions because of sickness, Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, responded with timely thoughts on the work of the women.

35. On motion, the proceedings of the 40th Annual Session of the W. M. U., which session was held with the Spring Hill Baptist Church, on April 6th, 1934, together with a summary of the G. A. and R. A. Conference, as presented at the Peachland Baptist Church, on July 17, 1934, are ordered incorporated within the minutes in the order mentioned.

PROCEEDINGS

Fortieth Annual Session

36. **WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Wagram, North Carolina

April 6, 1934

The Fortieth Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association was called to order by the President, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, at 10:00 A.M., April 6, 1934, in the Spring Hill Baptist Church, Wagram.

Song: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Pastor John R. Miller of the host church led the worship period and was followed by Miss Kate McMillian of the Spring Hill Church who expressed words of welcome to which Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro, responded.

"Back to Bethel" was a splendid thought presented by Mrs. John Waycaster, Kings Mountain. This address was greatly admired and appreciated by the attentive audience.

A special musical selection, "O Jesus Lord and Savior I Give My Life to Thee," was rendered by Mrs. Roland S. Pruette, Wadesboro.

Seventy delegates from the various churches in the Association responded upon the call of the roll and an expense fund of $8.00 was received.

Song: "He Leadeth Me."

Mrs. Rose recognized the Ministers of the Association here together with all visitors from outside the Association.

It was a pleasure to hear General Manager I. G. Greer of the Mills Home bring a feature message of the morning session upon our orphanage work.

The following Committees were released by the Superintendent:

A. *Nominating Committee:* Mrs. O. W. McManus, *Chairman,* Mrs. Claude Gore, Mrs. T. L. Caudle, and Mrs. J. B. Willis.

B. *Time and Place Committee:* Mrs. Henry Little, *Chairman,* Miss Anna Flake, and Miss Bright Henry.

A prayer by John Arch McMillan, Thomasville, and the morning session adjourned to lunch served by the ladies of the Spring Hill Baptist Church.

Afternoon Session

Reconvening for the afternoon session the Association sang "Jesus Calls Us" and Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg, prayed.

Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, Secretary, read the proceedings of the morning session and upon motion were duly approved.

A splendid address on the subject "How to Interest and Hold Young People for the Kingdom's Work" was given by Mrs. Walter Jones, Charlotte.

This was followed by the singing of "The Son of God Goes Forth to War" and with Mrs. Waycaster bringing an afternoon message on "How and Why Kings Mountain Association Ranks A-1."

A devotion in scripture and song was beautifully rendered by Mrs. R. L. Hardison and Mrs. Roland S. Pruette and Mrs. H. B. Allen, all of Wadesboro.

Study Books and Literature was the topic used by Bruce Benton, Rockingham, at this time.

After the singing of "Take My Life and Let It Be," Miss Pauline McBride gave a glimpse of "The House Beautiful."

Following in the succession named these various reports were heard: Mrs. T. L. Caudle on the Margaret Fund with Mrs. Rose coming next with her splendid report. The work of the Young People was told by Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham.

Mission Study and Stewardship activities were given by Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, and Mrs. Claude Gore, Rockingham.

The work in the Scotland, Richmond, and Anson Divisions were briefly related by Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson; Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Rockingham; and Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro.

Mrs. H. W. Little, reported for the Time and Place Committee and upon motion the Association will hold their next meeting with the Brown Creek Church of the Anson Baptist Association and the time to be set by the Superintendent.

Reporting for the Nominating Committee, Mrs. O. W. McManus, Chairman, gave out the following nominees:

Superintendent, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro; Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg; Treasurer, Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, Polkton; Secretary, Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, Wadesboro; Young People's Leader, Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham; Personal Service Leader, Mrs. May D. Redfearn, Peachland; Stewardship Leader, Mrs. Bruce Gore, Rockingham; Anson Division President, Mrs. Henry Wall, Wadesboro; Richmond Division President, Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Rockingham; Scotland Division President, Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson.

Upon motion by Mrs. O. W. McManus all the officers as nominated were duly elected.

After the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the Fortieth Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourned with prayer by Mrs. R. L. Hardison, Wadesboro.

SUMMARY PROCEEDINGS

37. ANNUAL G. A. AND R. A. CONFERENCE

PEACHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Peachland, North Carolina

July 17, 1934

Miss Georgia Mae Faulkner, Peachland, *Presiding*

The Young People's Organization, comprising the Auxiliaries of the W. M. U., came together in a most profitable meeting on July 17, 1934. This meeting was held with the Peachland Baptist Church with the Young People of that church acting as splendid hosts.

Miss Ida Frances Redfern, Peachland, led the worship period. She was followed by the different representatives competing in the Declamation Stewardship Contest, with Sunbeams, Intermediate and Junior G. A's. and Y. W. A's. from the various churches in the Association participating.

The Woman's Missionary Union Superintendent, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro, in her delightful way presented the different ranks for 1934 as follows: Wadesboro, First, R. A's. having two Pages and four Squires; Rockingham, First, G. A's. having two Maidens and one Lady in Waiting; Gibson G. A.'s. had four Ladies in Waiting and Peachland one Princess.

Winners in the Declamation Contest were announced and it was found that Sunbeam Annette Edwards, Peachland, Junior G. A. Lucille Dawkins, Rockingham, Intermediate G. A. Marie Wright, Gibson, Junior R. A. Patrick Taylor, Wadesboro, Intermediate R. A. Bill McKinnon, Wadesboro and Y. W. A. Ruby Caudle, Peachland, were the respective winners in each class.

The inspiring address of the day was the message of Miss Sarah Funderburk, one of our returned missionaries from China. Her thoughts reached the hearts of everyone present. After this splendid address Pastor W. H. Moore, Wadesboro, presented to the winners in the contest the rewards given by the State W. M. U. Convention and Mrs. Rose.

It was determined that Peachland was the winner of the pennant for having the largest number of their young people present.

Upon the invitation of the Polkton Church the Conference voted to hold its 1935 meeting with that church.

The Conference adjourned with prayer.

38. At this time the Moderator calls for a discussion of the Associational Report as read by Brother Meigs at the morning session.

39. State Missions being discussed by E. M. Brooks, Peachland, and Home Missions by Charles E. Stevens, Society Hill, S. C.

40. W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg, spoke with telling effect upon Foreign Missions, giving some vivid pictures of the Foreign Mission Task as he recently witnessed it on a trip to Europe and the Holy Land.

41. "Our Baptist Task" was the intriguing subject and forcefully presented by the General Board's Representative Dr. C. J. Allen, Fairmont.

42. Upon introduction by J. B. Willis, Hamlet, J. B. Hough, Superintendent of the Kennedy Home, Kinston, gave a splendid account of our Orphanage Work.

43. B. T. U. President C. Ray Little spoke for the Baptist Young People of the Association, extending also an urgent invitation to the Association to come back this evening for a B. T. U. Associational rally.

44. A discussion of the Sunday School Program was led by A. R. Brothers, Rockingham.

45. O. W. McManus, Gibson, gives to the report on "Old Ministers Relief" his studious thought and commends the action of President Roosevelt in his social program of shorter hours, the abolition of child labor and is of the sure opinion that soon our Old Ministers, many of whom are unprovided for, will be taken care of by our great government.

46. Through its *Chairman,* John R. Miller, announces the recommendations for the Promotion-Executive Committee and upon motion by C. E. Ruffin, the Committee as a whole is duly approved as follows: Ansonville, E. G. Kimbrough; Bethel, C. H. Hartsell; Cartledge Creek, T. G. Thomas; Cobb Memorial, Austin Bacot; Deep Creek, E. G. Jones; East Laurinburg, A. E. Bristow; East Rockingham, B. H. McKoy; Ellerbe, Lester Williamson; Gibson, J. M. Gardner; Gum Springs, Roy Hutchinson; Hamlet, First, E. P. Pearce; Hoffman, Dr. G. C. Caddell; Laurinburg, First, R. E. L. Correll; Lilesville, J. E. Diggs; Midway, Preston Bennett; Morven, T. V. Hardison; Mount Olive, R. L. Dawkins; McDonald, Henry McDonald; Peachland, A. D. Griffin; Pee Dee, Jack Humber; Pleasant Grove (A), E. R. Gilmore; Pleasant Grove (R), W. F. Campbell; Polkton, S. L. Thomas; Red Hill, K. N. Edwards; Roberdel, J. W. Nicholson; Rockingham, First, Hoyle W. Davis; Saron, C. M. Covington; Spring Hill, Monroe McMillan; Steeles, R. R. Ussery; Wade, M. T. Long; Wadesboro, First, Mrs. H. W. Little.

47. A rising vote of thanks is extended, upon motion by J. B. Willis, to the Pastor and Members of the host church for their splendid hospitality.

48. John R. Miller moved and the Association approved the recordings of the proceedings of the day without the reading of same by the Clerk.

49. Singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and following prayer by Charles E. Stevens, the One Hundred and Twentieth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourned.

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator,*
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

PROCEEDINGS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Second Annual Pee Dee Association Sunday School Convention met with the First Baptist Church, Hamlet, N. C., September 30, 1934, at 2:30 P.M.

Superintendent E. P. Pearce called the meeting to order, with Marion S. Lynch, the Secretary, recording the following proceedings:

Devotions were led by C. B. Deane, Rockingham, N. C.

Mr. Lynch gave the following annual report, which includes this meeting, to-wit:

"Our first meeting after the organization of our Sunday School Convention was held in Laurinburg with 12 out of 31 churches represented. There were present 8 pastors, 7 superintendents, 30 delegates and 1 visitor, a total of 46. At this meeting reports were read from 17 churches. These schools reported a total of 81 points as prescribed by the Standard of Excellence, with no school reporting more than 6 points.

On this our annual meeting we have 14 schools with representatives. There is present 10 pastors, 7 superintendents, 96 delegates and 42 visitors, totaling 155.

Twenty-six schools have submitted a report and it is revealing to note the standing of the 31 churches of the Association in relation to the Associational Sunday School Standard of Excellence.

Hamlet, First (Standard)	12	points
Gibson	11	"
Pleasant Grove (R)	11	"
Pee Dee	10	"
Steele's	10	"
East Rockingham	9	"
Ellerbe	9	"
Laurinburg, First	9	"
Polkton	9	"
Wadesboro	9	"
Cobb Memorial	8	"
Roberdel	8	"
Rockingham, First	8	"
Wade	8	"
Cartledge Creek	7	"
East Laurinburg	7	"
Peachland	6	"
Gum Springs	5	"
Deep Creek	5	"
Lilesville	5	"
Midway	5	"
Mount Olive	5	"

Saron	4 points
Bethel	2 "
Hoffman	2 "
McDonald	2 "
Ansonville	No report
Morven	" "
Pleasant Grove (A)	" "
Spring Hill	" "
Red Hill	" "

Our total enrollment in our schools January 1, 1933, was 5,292, and on this date we have an enrollment of 5,961, an increase of 669. There are 126 of the 434 officers and teachers holding Normal Diplomas."

Chairman T. W. Hearne, appointed at the last meeting, reported for the Committee to Nominate Officers as follows:

Superintendent, Jack Humber, Rockingham; Secretary, Lester Williamson, Ellerbe; Associate Superintendents: Group No. 1, Hoyle Davis, Rockingham; Group No. 2, Carmon Greene, Ellerbe; Group No. 3, T. D. Flack, Wadesboro; Group No. 4, C. C. Reese, Gibson; Group No. 5, W. D. Taylor, Wadesboro.

Upon motion by T. W. Hearne the officers as nominated were duly elected.

The Time and Place Committee reported through Jack Humber that the place of meeting be with the East Laurinburg Church on December 30, 1934, at 2:30 P.M. The report was adopted.

The following in the order mentioned were the able messages delivered:

"The Sunday School and Its Functions."—L. R. Varser, Lumberton, N. C.

"What Should Be the Pastor's Activities in the Sunday School?"—C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.

"Should All the Sunday School Remain for Preaching?"—Bruce Benton, Rockingham, N. C.

"Should a Sunday School Have a Teacher Who Does Not Attend Preaching Service?"—W. H. Moore, Wadesboro, N. C.

After the singing of a song and prayer the Second Annual Sunday School Convention of the Pee Dee Baptist Association adjourned.

E. P. PEARCE, *Superintendent*,
MARION S. LYNCH, *Secretary*.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL B. T. U. CONVENTION

The Annual Pee Dee Baptist Associational B. T. U. Convention met with the First Baptist Church of Wadesboro, N. C., May 13, 1934, at 2:30 P.M., with ten of the churches in the Association represented and eighty delegates present.

Miss Willa Marks, President, presided and she introduced the following proceedings:

First, Pastors W. H. Moore, Wadesboro; N. C. Coggin, Ansonville; A. R. Brothers, Gum Springs; N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville; and C. Ray Little, Deep Creek, were presented.

Worship thoughts were led by W. H. Moore, Wadesboro, and N. H. Shepherd, Lilesville, prayed.

Rockingham Baptist Church furnished the characters in presenting "Friendships of the Bible."

"Friendship With the World Is Enmity With God" was the timely subject given profitably by Miss Irene Preslar, and C. Ray Little, followed with a splendid talk on "Friendship in Christ Jesus."

Song: "He Keeps Me Singing."

A revealing Chart of work done in the different Unions within the Association was exhibited and discussed by Miss Marks.

Claiming the attention of the young people at this time was the election of officers and upon nomination the following officers were duly elected: Miss Willa Marks, President, Rockingham, N. C.; Vice-President, Thomas Young, Rockingham, N. C.; Secretary-Treasurer, Lester Williamson, Ellerbe, N. C.; Junior-Intermediate Leader, Miss Anna Harrington, Lilesville, N. C.; Pianist, Bobby Carroll, Hamlet, N. C.; Chorister, Miss Rosa Paisley, Wadesboro, N. C.; Anson District Leader, Miss Irene Presler, Wadesboro, N. C.; Richmond District Leader, Charles B. Deane, Rockingham, N. C.; Scotland District Leader, Carroll McNeil, Gibson, N. C.

Lester Williamson, Ellerbe, spoke about Ridgecrest and the plans and possibilities for our B. T. U. group at the Assembly.

B. T. U. Field Worker, Miss Mable Starnes, Raleigh, charmed her audience in addressing them on "Dare To Be Different After This Meeting."

The three conferences were then led by Miss Zula Rogers, Miss Mabel Starnes, and Lester Williamson, after which the Convention adjourned.

On September 3, 1934, the Convention met in special meeting with the Anson District Meeting, at which time C. Ray Little, was elected B. T. U. President of the Association to succeed Miss Willa Marks who leaves for college. The time for the next Annual B. T. U. Convention was announced as follows: Place, Rockingham Baptist Church; Time, May 19, 1935, from 2:30 until 9:00 o'clock P.M.

C. RAY LITTLE, *President.*

Our Home-Goers

Who Have Answered the Last Roll Call
Since September 30, 1933

Ansonville—Mrs. Sallie Cauble.
Bethel—Mr. W. H. Pusser
Cartledge Creek—Mrs. Percy Dockery.
Cobb Memorial—None.
Deep Creek—Mr. J. C. Chewning, Miss Mamie Lee Moore, Mrs. J. L. Moore, Mrs. Jim Dawkins, Mrs. Geneva Dawkins.
East Laurinburg—Mrs. Flore Bristow, Mr. A. J. Perry.
East Rockingham—None.
Ellerbe—None.
Gibson—None.
Gum Springs—None.
Hamlet, First—Mr. S. W. Clark, Mrs. K. C. Garner, Mr. C. C. Jones, Dr. Sam E. Teague, Mr. R. H. Halyburton.
Hoffman—None.
Laurinburg, First—Deacon G. W. Goodwyn, Mr. J. F. Deares.
Lilesville—Mrs. Josephine Ballard.
Midway—None.
Morven—Mr. H. G. Huntley, Mr. Ed Adams, Miss Alice Deese.
Mt. Olive—None.
McDonald—Mrs. Fannie W. Watkins, Mrs. Nealie W. Dudley.
Peachland—None.
Pee Dee—Mr. J. J. Deese, Mrs. John R. Hooks, Mrs. P. A. Maske.
Pleasant Grove (A)—None.
Pleasant Grove (R)—None.
Polkton—None.
Red Hill—Miss Susie Lee, Mr. R. J. Turner.
Roberdel—None.
Rockingham, First—Mr. Millard C. Davis, Miss Sallie Hale.
Saron—Deacon W. R. Jones.
Spring Hill—Mrs. Sallie Livingston.
Steeles—None.
Wade—Mr. Robert Prevatt.
Wadesboro, First—Mr. F. L. Autry, Mr. J. T. May, Mrs. Berry Tarlton, Mr. H. H. McLendon, Mrs. Annie Hinson, Mr. Otis Teal.

B. T. U. OFFICERS, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders, and Address*
ANSONVILLE	Charles G. Lampley (D), Ansonville, N. C. Miss Beatrice Waddell (S), Ansonville, N. C. Mrs. Nell Young (J), Ansonville, N. C.
BETHEL	No Report.
CARTLEDGE CREEK	No Report.
*CEDAR GROVE	James Johnson (S), Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
COBB MEMORIAL	No Report.
DEEP CREEK	B. B. Hester (D), Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Sallie Mae Moore (S), Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
EAST LAURINBURG	No Report.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	No Report.
ELLERBE	Lester Williamson (D), Ellerbe, N. C. Carmon Green (S), Ellerbe, N. C. Brady Myrick (I), Ellerbe, N. C. Mrs. C. E. Ruffin (J), Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Esther McNeil (D), McCall, S. C. Carroll McNeil (S), Gibson, N. C. Miss Elsie Taylor (I), Gibson, N. C. Miss Lucy Gibson (J), Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	J. Roy Hutchinson (D), Lilesville, N. C. Miss Lois Hutchinson (S), Lilesville, N. C. Willie Sellers (I), Lilesville, N. C. Miss Ruth Sellers (J), Lilesville, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. Marion S. Lynch (D), Hamlet, N. C. Miss Ethel Walker (S), Hamlet, N. C. J. P. Witherspoon (I), Hamlet, N. C. Tyler Dunn (J), Hamlet, N. C. Miss Helen Thompson (J), Hamlet, N. C.
HOFFMAN	None.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Claude Stewart (D), Laurinburg, N. C. W. Emory Trainham (I), Laurinburg, N. C. Mrs. W. Emory Trainham (J), Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Mrs. Fred Liles (D), Lilesville, N. C. Mrs. Kate Lowder (S), Lilesville, N. C. Miss Anna Harrington (I), Lilesville, N. C. Mrs. Etta Ingram (J), Lilesville, N. C.
MIDWAY	No Report.
MORVEN	No Report.
MT. OLIVE	No Report.
MCDONALD	Roy McDonald (D), Rockingham, N. C. B. F. Marks (A), Rt. 5, Rockingham, N. C. Henry McDonald (S), Rockingham, N. C. Miss Annie McDonald (I), Rockingham, N. C. Miss Alma McDonald (J), Rockingham, N. C.
PEACHLAND	A. D. Griffon (D), Peachland, N. C. Mrs. C. A. Redfern (A), Peachland, N. C. Miss Louise Thomas (S), Peachland, N. C. Mrs. Granville Liles (I), Peachland, N. C. Mrs. Joe Horne (J), Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	No Report.
PLEASANT GROVE (A)	No Report.
PLEASANT GROVE (R)	No Report.

* Churches in Anson Association which belong to the Pee Dee Associational B. T. U. Convention.

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders, and Address*
POLKTON	E. T. Parham (D), Polkton, N. C.
	Miss Edna Flake (S), Polkton, N. C.
	Mrs. W. F. Napier (J), Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	Miss Fannie Lou Pope (D), Rt. 1, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Mrs. B. B. Harrington (A), Rt. 1, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Louise Harrington (S), Rt. 1, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Mrs. W. B. Martin (I), Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
	Mrs. J. T. Garris (J), Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Charles B. Deane (D), Rockingham, N. C.
	Thomas Young (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	L. Fairley Seawell (I), Rockingham, N. C.
	Mrs. F. I. Mason (J), Rockingham, N. C.
SARON	No Report.
SPRING HILL	D. W. L. Smith (D), Wagram, N. C.
	D. W. L. Smith (S), Wagram, N. C.
	Mrs. W. T. Crump (J), Wagram, N. C.
STEELES	No Report.
WADE	Miss Hazel Dockery (D), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Hazel Forbis (S), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson (I), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Mrs. T. D. Flack (J), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Hazel Dockery (J), Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Miss Irene Preslar (D), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Georgia Lee Tice (S), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Margaret Stallings (I), Wadesboro, N. C.
	Mrs. Willie Henry (J), Wadesboro, N. C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Name and Address*
ANSONVILLE	William Ballard, Ansonville, N. C.
BETHEL	Cyrus Pusser, Ellerbe, N. C.
CARTLEDGE CREEK	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham, N. C.
COBB MEMORIAL	Ben T. Lineberger, East Rockingham, N. C.
DEEP CREEK	J. D. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
EAST LAURINBURG	Miss Thelma Godwin, East Laurinburg, N. C.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Miss Mildred Garrett, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Miss Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Roxie Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	Willie Sellers, Pee Dee, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Marion Lynch, Hamlet, N. C.
HOFFMAN	Langdon Caddell, Hoffman, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	C. W. Odom, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Lynn Morton, Lilesville, N. C.
MIDWAY	Miss Daisy Pratt, Rockingham, N. C.
MORVEN	Vernon Watts, Morven, N. C.
MT. OLIVE	Worth Long, Rockingham, N. C.
MCDONALD	Roy McDonald, Rockingham, N. C.
PEACHLAND	A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	Miss Ruby Martin, Rockingham, N. C.
PLEASANT GROVE (A)	C. B. Aycock, Wadesboro, N. C.

Church	*Name and Address*
PLEASANT GROVE (R)	Zack Grice, Rockingham, N. C.
POLKTON	Miss Grace Corthren, Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	Mrs. K. N. Edwards, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROBERDEL	Miss Mary Ballard, Roberdel, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Jesse P. Phifer, Rockingham, N. C.
SARON	Miss Rosa McRae, Rt. 1, Ellerbe, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Fulford McMillan, Raeford, N. C.
STEELES	L. B. Quick, Cordova, N. C.
WADE	H. S. Davis, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Miss Rosa Tice, Wadesboro, N. C.

OFFICERS WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*President and Address*
ANSONVILLE	Mrs. Nell S. Young, Ansonville, N. C.
BETHEL	Mrs. J. C. Stuart, Jackson Springs, N. C.
BROWN CREEK	Miss Anna Flake, Wadesboro, N. C.
CEDAR GROVE	Mrs. Ed Winfield, Wadesboro, N. C.
EAST LAURINBURG	Miss Flossie Quick, East Laurinburg, N. C.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Mrs. H. B. Humphrey, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Mrs. C. M. Brady, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	Mrs. Beatrice Hedrick, Lilesville, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Hamlet, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Mrs. Clara Wall, Lilesville, N. C.
MORVEN	Mrs. P. L. Allen, Morven, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. W. H. Edwards, Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	Mrs. Ralph Benoy, Rockingham, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. J. C. Meigs, Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	Mrs. Louise Martin, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROBERDEL	Mrs. J. W. Miller, Roberdel, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Claude Gore, Rockingham, N. C.
ROCKY MOUNT	Mrs. J. S. Howard, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKY RIVER	Mrs. L. S. Summers, Wadesboro, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Miss Kate McMillan, Wagram, N. C.
STEELES	Mrs. Essie Spittle, Cordova, N. C.
WADE	Mrs. Beal Davis, Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. L. J. Huntley, Wadesboro, N. C.

OTHER AUXILIARY LEADERS

Sunbeam Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Mrs. David Cook, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	J. B. Baucom, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Mrs. C. L. Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. Charles Ashe, Hamlet, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. E. D. Creech, Laurinburg, N. C.
MORVEN	Miss Simmons Boyd, Morven, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. C. A. Redfern, Peachland, N. C.

R. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
POLKTON	Mrs. B. L. Curlee, Polkton, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Mrs. W. R. Bullard, Wagram, N. C.
STEELES	Mrs. O. D. Bland, Cordova, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. J. F. Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	B. H. McCoy, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Carmon Greene, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. Earl Knight, Hamlet, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. Frank Bennett, Polkton, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. H. B. Covington, Wadesboro, N. C.

G. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
ELLERBE	Mrs. Annie M. Webb, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. H. E. Bennoitt, Hamlet, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. Lonnie Baxley, Laurinburg, N. C.
MORVEN	Miss Sarah Thomas, Morven, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. E. S. Sinclair, Peachland, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Agnes C. Deane, Rockingham, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, N. C.

Y. W. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Mrs. Bessie Lipscomb, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Mrs. W. C. Nicholson, Ellerbe, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. E. L. Woodall, Hamlet, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. J. H. Bone, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Mrs. Kate Lowder, Lilesville, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Peachland, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. R. F. Covington, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Betty A. Seawell (S), Rockingham, N. C. Mrs. T. Berry Liles (I), Rockingham, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. B. T. Hill, Wadesboro, N. C.

Note: All churches not reporting any of the foregoing auxiliaries are omitted.

ORDAINED MINISTERS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN THE CHURCHES OF THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Name	Address	Church of Which a Member	Work
Bacott, A. J.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Benton, Bruce	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham First	Pastor
Berry, Kennedy	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wade	Pastor
Biles, H. C.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Saron	Member
Boggan, W. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	Mt. Olive	Pastor
Boyd, John P.	Morven, N. C.	Morven	Inactive
Brewer, Grady	Star, N. C.	McDonald	Pastor
Brooks, E. M.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Pastor
Brothers, A. R.	Rockingham, N. C.	Gum Springs	Pastor
Coggins, N. C.	Marshville, N. C.	Ansonville	Pastor
Edwards, Wilbur	East Laurinburg, N. C.	East Laurinburg	Pastor
English, W. H.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Hearne, T. W.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Holliman, J. C.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Member
Humphrey, H. B.	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Knight, Luther	Ruby, S. C.	Ruby	Pastor
Little, C. Ray	Marshville, N. C.	Red Hill	Pastor
Meigs, J. C.	Polkton, N. C.	Polkton	Pastor
Miller, John R.	Raeford, N. C.	Spring Hill	Pastor
Moore, W. H.	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wadesboro, First	Pastor
McGill, J. I.	Monroe, N. C.	Pleasant Grove (A)	Pastor
McManus, O. W.	Gibson, N. C.	Gibson	Pastor
Oakes, S. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Ruffin, C. E.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Pastor
Smith, J. Marvin	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Pastor
Stevens, Charles E.	Society Hill, S. C.	Morven	Pastor
Summey, J. A.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Inactive
Thompson, W. M.	Lilesville, N. C.	Gum Springs	Member
Trainham, W. Emory	Laurinburg, N. C.	Laurinburg, First	Pastor
Ussery, L. D.	Mt. Gilead, N. C.	Saron	Pastor
Webb, U. S.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Williams, J. Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Pastor
Willis, J. B.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Pastor

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

None.

STUDENTS FOR MINISTRY

Name	Address	Church of Which a Member	Work
Dunn, Tyler	Buie's Creek, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Campbell College
McMillan, Arch.	Wake Forest, N. C.	Spring Hill	Wake Forest College
Walden, Henry E.	Wake Forest, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Wake Forest College
Williams, J. Dockery	Wake Forest, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Wake Forest College

ASSISTANTS TO PASTORS

None.

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Is it in a Village, Town City, or Country?	When Constituted	Pastors and Postoffices	Days of Meeting	Church Membership									Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
						Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses				Total				
							Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Deaths	Exclusions	Inactive	Total Present Members				
1	Ansonville	Town	1886	N. C. Coggins, Marshville	1	110	4	----	----	----	3	1	----	----	110	Yes	1	2	5
2	Bethel	Country	1916	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	3	79	2	----	----	----	3	1	----	7	70	No	1	----	----
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	1820	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1	77	7	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	83	No	1	----	----
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	1909	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 3	135	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	135	No	----	----	2
5	Deep Creek	Country	1797	Luther Knight, Hartsville	2, 4	184	18	1	----	----	3	5	----	----	195	No	1	1	3
6	East Laurinburg	Village	1911	Wilbur Edwards, East Laurinburg	Each S.	194	8	1	----	----	1	1	1	----	200	Yes	----	4	4
7	East Rockingham	Village	1919	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	Each S.	172	20	10	----	----	8	----	2	----	192	Yes	2	----	2
8	Ellerbe	Town	1913	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 2, 4	249	33	1	----	----	3	----	----	121	159	Yes	1	4	6
9	Gibson	Town	1884	O. W. McManus, Gibson	Each S.	104	1	4	----	5	1	----	1	----	112	No	1	4	7
10	Gum Springs	Country	1834	A. R. Brothers, Rockingham	1, 3	193	8	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	199	Yes	1	2	3
11	Hamlet, First	Town	1890	J. B. Willis, Hamlet	Each S.	892	57	27	2	----	18	5	2	61	892	Yes	1	4	25
12	Hoffman	Village	1910	No Pastor	----	75	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	75	No	----	----	----
13	Laurinburg, First	Town	1879	W. Emory Trainham, Laurinburg	Each S.	347	27	18	3	----	24	2	----	8	361	Yes	2	4	12
14	Lilesville	Town	1777	J. I. McGill, Monroe	2	211	----	2	----	----	14	1	----	1	197	No	1	----	3
15	Midway	Village	1920	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	2, 3	107	----	2	----	----	15	----	----	63	31	Yes	2	----	----
16	Morven	Town	------	Chas. E. Stevens, Society Hill	2, 4	160	8	1	----	----	1	3	----	----	165	----	1	1	----
17	Mount Olive	Country	1931	W. H. Boggan, Rockingham	1, 3	18	----	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	21	No	1	1	1
18	McDonald	Country	1920	Grady Brewer, Star	2	80	4	3	1	----	1	2	----	----	85	No	1	1	2
19	Peachland	Town	1890	E. M. Brooks, Peachland	1, 3	166	10	5	----	1	7	----	----	1	174	Yes	2	1	5
20	Pee Dee	Village	1915	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	180	11	13	1	----	8	3	----	----	194	Yes	1	1	3
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	1837	J. I. McGill, Monroe	3	113	8	5	----	----	2	----	----	----	124	No	1	----	2
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	1882	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	1, 3	75	27	3	----	2	1	1	----	----	105	No	1	1	1
23	Polkton	Town	------	J. C. Meigs, Polkton	1, 3	160	10	1	----	1	----	----	----	----	172	No	1	1	6
24	Red Hill	Country	1867	C. Ray Little, Marshville	3	105	16	5	----	----	7	2	----	----	117	No	1	1	2
25	Roberdel	Village	1887	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	2	100	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	98	No	1	3	3
26	Rockingham, First	Town	1879	Bruce Benton, Rockingham	Each S.	513	13	17	----	----	17	2	----	73	451	Yes	1	4	25
27	Saron	Country	1826	L. D. Ussery, Mt. Gilead	1	54	10	----	2	----	7	1	----	----	58	No	1	1	----
28	Spring Hill	Village	1813	J. R. Miller, Raeford	1, 3	133	5	4	----	----	1	1	----	----	140	No	1	3	12
29	Steeles	Village	1900	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	269	4	13	1	2	19	----	----	----	270	Yes	1	2	1
30	Wade	Village	1925	Kennedy Berry, Wadesboro	Each S.	108	2	3	2	----	4	1	----	----	110	Yes	1	1	----
31	Wadesboro, First	Town	1869	W. H. Moore, Wadesboro	Each S.	546	9	5	----	3	3	6	----	----	554	Yes	1	12	26
	Totals	----	----	----	----	5,909	322	147	12	14	175	39	6	335	5,849	14	32	59	161

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Superintendents and Postoffices	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information									
			Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll, Under 3 Years	Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did You Hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?	Enrollment Daily Vacation School	Average Attendance Daily Vacation School
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	22	25	14	----	18	20	----	----	9	108	74	No	No	----	4	No	----	No	----	----
2	Bethel	J. M. McCracken, West End	6	3	4	8	14	11	----	----	9	55	32	No	No	----	2	No	----	No	----	----
3	Cartledge Creek	W. H. Covington, Rockingham	8	10	12	10	25	15	----	----	6	86	47	No	No	----	7	No	----	No	----	----
4	Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham	36	15	14	----	65	25	----	----	7	162	158	No	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
5	Deep Creek	E. H. Jones, Wadesboro	11	----	12	9	----	17	----	----	6	55	31	No	No	2	6	No	----	No	----	----
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	15	45	20	30	60	70	----	----	12	252	176	Yes	No	----	8	No	----	No	----	----
7	East Rockingham	George Wallace, East Rockingham	30	10	62	25	75	75	10	----	13	300	230	Yes	No	2	15	No	----	No	----	----
8	Ellerbe	C. M. Brady, Ellerbe	10	14	20	19	21	40	16	----	15	155	121	Yes	No	----	----	----	----	Yes	200	150
9	Gibson	Dr. J. M. Gardner, Gibson	11	6	18	13	7	20	16	29	13	133	50	Yes	No	5	1	No	----	No	----	----
10	Gum Springs	J. R. Hutchinson, Lilesville	10	13	20	21	27	48	6	----	12	157	120	Yes	No	10	8	No	----	No	----	----
11	Hamlet, First	E. P. Pearce, Hamlet	45	98	100	85	91	98	36	----	57	610	350	Yes	Yes	50	50	No	----	No	----	----
12	Hoffman	A. M. Snider, Hoffman	5	6	8	9	12	10	----	----	6	56	35	No	No	4	----	----	----	No	----	----
13	Laurinburg, First	J. W. C. Stewart, Laurinburg	20	44	57	29	8	104	12	----	38	312	185	Yes	No	20	20	No	----	No	----	----
14	Lilesville	J. T. Saunders, Lilesville	8	23	24	16	34	58	----	----	10	173	97	No	No	5	----	No	----	No	----	----
15	Midway	Clyde Benoist, Rockingham	20	12	25	15	10	18	----	----	7	107	60	Yes	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
16	Morven	P. L. Allen, Morven	9	6	13	8	13	16	----	----	10	75	50	No	No	----	5	No	----	No	----	----
17	Mount Olive	O. P. Long, Rockingham	----	10	8	----	6	10	----	----	6	40	35	Yes	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
18	McDonald	John L. McDonald, Rockingham	----	13	13	17	21	10	----	----	7	81	30	No	No	1	4	No	----	No	----	----
19	Peachland	Van O. Bryant, Peachland	12	12	30	20	25	36	----	----	16	151	100	Yes	No	5	7	No	----	No	----	----
20	Pee Dee	Jack Humber, Rockingham	22	12	22	25	20	64	11	----	13	189	130	Yes	No	----	8	No	----	No	----	----
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	E. R. Gilmore, Wadesboro	15	11	12	12	----	10	----	----	8	68	50	No	----	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	----	----	23	40	----	33	----	----	7	103	85	No	Yes	----	26	No	----	No	----	----
23	Polkton	C. J. Goodman, Polkton	15	11	18	24	27	31	----	----	16	142	110	Yes	No	7	9	No	----	No	----	----
24	Red Hill	W. N. Pope, Wadesboro, Rt. 1	10	10	20	32	25	25	3	----	12	137	90	Yes	No	2	12	No	----	No	----	----
25	Roberdel	E. T. Ballard, Roberdel	----	25	10	6	----	32	----	----	7	80	50	No	No	----	----	No	----	No	----	----
26	Rockingham, First	Hoyle W. Davis, Rockingham	26	32	42	29	74	45	25	50	30	353	225	Yes	No	----	----	Yes	50	No	----	----
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe, Rt. 1	18	----	12	14	27	26	----	----	7	104	72	Yes	No	----	8	No	----	No	----	----
28	Spring Hill	D. W. Smith, Wagram	10	12	15	----	25	28	----	----	10	100	76	No	No	----	5	No	----	No	----	----
29	Steeles	R. R. Ussery, Cordova	10	25	20	30	40	50	8	----	10	193	156	Yes	No	----	4	No	----	No	----	----
30	Wade	T. D. Flack, Wadesboro	15	37	39	28	33	34	----	----	21	207	125	Yes	No	----	6	No	----	No	----	----
31	Wadesboro, First	C. C. Greene, Wadesboro	20	40	60	35	40	125	20	50	42	432	275	Yes	No	19	7	No	----	No	----	----
	Totals		439	580	767	609	843	1204	163	129	442	5176	3425	18	2	132	222	1	50	1	200	150

TABLE III—CHURCH PROPERTY OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Church Clerks and Postoffices	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Number of Department Assembly Rooms	Number of Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel if Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Wadell, Ansonville	Yes	1887	Wood	220	5		4	$ 3,500.00	$	$	$ 3,500.00	$	$ 2,000.00
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1		1	2,000.00		30.00	2,030.00		
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	Yes	1867	Wood	400	1		1	1,000.00		2,000.00	3,000.00		
4	Cobb Memorial	Grace Stogner, East Rockingham	Yes	1909	Wood	400	5		5	2,000.00			2,000.00		
5	Deep Creek	Mrs. G. K. Little, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	Yes	1815	Wood	400	3	1	3	3,600.00			3,600.00		
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, East Laurinburg	Yes	1916	Wood	500	7	7	7	5,000.00			5,000.00		3,500.00
7	East Rockingham	Mrs. Ruby White, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	800	14		13	6,000.00		3,000.00	9,000.00	1,100.00	2,000.00
8	Ellerbe	Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe	Yes	1913	Wood	380	12	2	12	3,400.00		2,000.00	5,400.00		3,000.00
9	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	Yes	1920	Brick	400	7	2	9	24,000.00			24,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00
10	Gum Springs	Mrs. H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	Yes	1931	Brick	700			9	10,000.00			10,000.00		
11	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	Yes	1916	Brick	600	47	5	47	50,000.00		5,000.00	55,000.00		20,000.00
12	Hoffman	J. F. Butler, Hoffman	Yes	1912	Wood	400	5	4		3,000.00			3,000.00		2,000.00
13	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	Yes	1928	Brick	500	39	5	30	60,000.00	7,400.00	8,000.00	75,400.00	10,000.00	21,900.00
14	Lilesville	James Farlan, Lilesville	Yes	1872	Wood	400	2	1	1	4,000.00		2,500.00	6,500.00		1,800.00
15	Midway	Verda Hancock, Rockingham	Yes	1920	Wood	300	5		4	2,000.00			2,000.00		
16	Morven	M. B. Ballard, Morven	Yes	1908	Brick	400	8	2	5	8,000.00			8,000.00		3,000.00
17	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	Yes	1893	Wood	200	1			500.00			500.00		
18	McDonald	Mrs. Roy L. McDonald, McDonald	Yes	1933	Wood	200	1			500.00			500.00		
19	Peachland	V. O. Bryant, Peachland	Yes	1918	Brick	500	1		8	5,000.00			5,000.00		
20	Pee Dee	L. L. Thrower, Rockingham	Yes	1915	Wood	600	14	2	11	5,000.00			5,000.00		4,000.00
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Allen, Wadesboro	Yes	1837	Wood	500	1			3,000.00			3,000.00		
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	Yes	1884	Wood	500	6	5	5	250.00			250.00		
23	Polkton	Miss Lelie Goodman, Polkton	Yes	1926	Brick	400	10	2	10	6,200.00		1,300.00	7,500.00		
24	Red Hill	Fannie Lou Pope, Wadesboro, Rt. 1	Yes	1867	Wood	500	1			1,750.00			1,750.00		
25	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	Yes	1887	Wood	300	4	1	3	2,500.00		150.00	2,650.00		1,000.00
26	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	Yes	1912	Brick	250	16	6	23	20,900.00		16,800.00	37,700.00	11,500.00	18,500.00
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	Yes	1878	Wood	200	5		5	2,500.00			2,500.00	150.00	
28	Spring Hill	Monroe McMillan, Wagram	Yes	1912	Brick	300	7	2	6	11,000.00		2,000.00	13,000.00		9,500.00
29	Steeles	Virginia Pittman, Cordova	Yes	1900	Wood	400	9	11	8	5,000.00			5,000.00		2,500.00
30	Wade	H. S. Davis, Wadesboro	No			500	5	4	5						
31	Wadesboro, First	Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro	Yes	1928	Brick	450	6		42	95,000.00	200.00	10,000.00	105,200.00	23,000.00	37,400.00
	Totals					12,900	289	68	277	$346,600.00	$7600.00	$52,780.00	$406,980.00	$50,750.00	$144,100.00

TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	For Support of Local Church Work											
			Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Given by All W. M. U. Organizations*	Given by the Sunday School*	Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$ 208.00	$	$ 26.50	$	$ 63.84	$ 30.20	$	$ 5.50	$	$	$ 30.20	$ 334.04
2	Bethel	Cyrus Pusser, Ellerbe	100.00				2.00	20.22		4.00	23.75		49.97	149.97
3	Cartledge Creek	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham	200.00			70.00	12.00	18.96	10.00	5.00	13.00			328.96
4	Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham								4.25				4.25
5	Deep Creek	E. G. Jones, Wadesboro, Rt. 3	200.00		37.00	10.00	5.00	25.75		5.00	6.00		25.75	288.75
6	East Laurinburg	Jas. D. Hildreth, E. Laurinburg	334.30		110.96		75.28	94.84	5.00	6.00				626.38
7	East Rockingham	Tom Braswell, Rockingham	862.71		50.00	748.04	100.00	75.00	25.00	6.00	46.29		250.00	1913.04
8	Ellerbe	Lester Williamson, Ellerbe	800.00		50.00		85.20	9.80		7.00				952.00
9	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	600.00			3.25	147.31	65.20		6.00				821.76
10	Gum Springs	H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	260.00		40.00	90.72	59.00	80.26		6.00	35.44		80.26	571.42
11	Hamlet, First	B. R. Carroll, Hamlet	3000.00	780.00	150.00	400.00	442.00	510.00	65.00	20.00	198.00			5565.00
12	Hoffman	J. F Butler, Hoffman												
13	Laurinburg, First	J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg	1560.00		275.00	3167.44	1055.52	335.13	41.35	15.00	31.94	153.98	370.39	6481.38
14	Lilesville	T. B. Seago, Lilesville	225.00		30.00	8.25	69.00	44.48		6.25	6.00		113.48	388.98
15	Midway	Miss Daisy Pratt, Rockingham	111.50		31.00		34.43	17.44		3.50				197.87
16	Morven	T. V. Hardison, Morven	360.00		57.50		80.38	46.13	2.00	6.00				552.01
17	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	31.18					15.00		3.00				49.18
18	McDonald	Roy L. McDonald, Rockingham	55.26		22.00		2.00	21.37		3.50			21.37	104.13
19	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	222.58		26.59		109.25	55.86	47.40	6.00	6.00	50.90	48.36	473.68
20	Pee Dee	Ralph Benoy, Jr., Rockingham	874.50		48.63	65.60	194.87	46.32	110.55	5.00	13.80	9.55		1359.27
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	W. T. Garris, Wadesboro								5.00				5.00
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	300.00		20.57	309.79		76.42	3.00	5.00	60.00			774.78
23	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	500.00		50.00	175.00	60.00	75.93		5.00	2.60		116.00	868.53
24	Red Hill	E. R. Randall, Polkton, Rt. 2	125.00		42.39	78.00	3.50	40.00	40.00	4.50		40.50		333.39
25	Roberdel	Mary Ballard, Roberdel	200.04			9.00	53.26	36.41		6.00			304.71	304.71
26	Rockingham, First	Claude Gore, Rockingham	1800.00	180.00	100.00	1835.09	455.80	313.09		16.00				4699.98
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	89.06		21.59		6.00	21.78		4.00	14.72		24.78	157.15
28	Spring Hill	E. C. Smith, Wagram	600.00		41.25	63.91	82.45	46.78		6.50				840.89
29	Steeles	I. B. Pittman, Cordova	845.35		30.00	412.28	174.88	58.00	105.00	7.00	86.00			1718.51
30	Wade	N. T. Long, Wadesboro	146.88				60.00	50.00	7.50	4.00	2.50	10.00	110.00	270.88
31	Wadesboro, First	J. M. Liles, Wadesboro	2700.00	100.00	178.10	3944.07	1061.40		43.94	15.00	12.24	574.75	411.36	8054.75
	Totals		$17,311.36	$1060.00	$1439.08	$11,390.44	$4494.37	$2230.37	$505.74	$201.00	$558.28	$839.68	$1956.63	$39,190.64

*These items have been included in various items for support of Local Church and not intended to be included in final total.

TABLE V—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	Total to Cooperative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Other Special Gifts	Given by W. M. U. Organizations*	Given by the Sunday School*	Total for Missions and Benevolences Given by the Church and All Departments	Grand Total Given for All Purposes Last Year
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Wadell, Ansonville	$ 33.90	$	$ 1.00	$ 1.75	$	$	$ 30.90	$ 3.20	$	$ 4.00	$ 20.65	$ 34.10	$ 74.75	$ 408.79
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	5.37				1.00		17.83	2.00		2.00		22.83	28.20	178.17
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	3.00			1.00	3.00		55.60	13.60					76.20	405.16
4	Cobb Memorial	Grace Stogner, E. Rockingham	13.35						31.11			75.00			119.46	123.71
5	Deep Creek	Mrs. G. K. Little, Wadesboro, R.3							13.79					13.79	13.79	302.54
6	East Laurinburg	A. E. Bristow, E. Laurinburg	8.50						14.28					14.28	22.78	649.16
7	East Rockingham	Mrs. Ruby White, Rockingham	27.46						10.00	10.00					47.46	1960.50
8	Ellerbe	Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe	15.70		18.65	17.45	19.60		79.61	5.75	8.45		89.30	75.91	165.21	1117.21
9	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	113.12		6.00	2.50	2.75		32.90	3.00			95.37	38.90	160.27	982.03
10	Gum Springs	Mrs. H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	27.14						70.63				27.14	70.63	97.77	669.19
11	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	1467.00		68.00	22.00	22.00	85.00	424.00	32.00		6.00	1061.00	568.00	2126.00	7691.00
12	Hoffman	J. F. Butler, Hoffman														
13	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	336.36		41.55	75.47	87.87		102.72			52.00	231.54	79.04	695.97	7177.35
14	Lilesville	James Farlan, Lilesville	22.90			2.30	2.50		82.44	12.40			40.10	82.44	122.54	511.52
15	Midway	Verda Hancock, Rockingham								4.00					4.00	201.87
16	Morven	M. B. Ballard, Morven	17.35		12.11	1.55	10.00		51.81	10.05		6.15	27.45	81.57	109.02	661.03
17	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham														49.18
18	McDonald	Mrs. R. L. McDonald, McDonald							2.00					2.00	2.00	106.13
19	Peachland	V. O. Bryant, Peachland	87.93						16.70	2.75		1.00	75.08	12.75	108.38	582.06
20	Pee Dee	L. L. Thrower, Rockingham	64.95		2.50				80.00				15.45		147.45	1506.72
21	Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Allen, Wadesboro														5.00
22	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	15.00		2.00	2.36	1.00		19.20	2.60					42.16	816.94
23	Polkton	Miss Lelie Goodman, Polkton	68.43						61.00	10.00			68.43	71.00	139.43	1007.96
24	Red Hill	Fannie Lou Pope, Wadesboro, R.1	10.00						18.88				10.00		28.88	362.27
25	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel			8.36				4.00	2.80		22.02	31.17	6.01	37.18	341.89
26	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	478.51						164.49	37.08		35.00			715.08	5415.06
27	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	66.83						22.08	3.20		1.50		20.08	93.61	250.76
28	Spring Hill	Monroe McMillan, Wagram	201.09						99.88	10.54			22.11	93.99	311.51	1152.40
29	Steeles	Virginia Pittman, Cordova	50.00						40.00	12.00			10.00	42.00	102.00	1820.51
30	Wade	H. S. Davis, Wadesboro	19.85					5.45		12.00	10.06			25.30	47.36	318.24
31	Wadesboro, First	Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro	375.00		34.60	73.50			358.96	73.00		166.00	220.50	325.56	1081.06	9135.81
	Totals		$3528.74	$	$194.77	$199.88	$149.72	$90.45	$1904.81	$261.97	$18.51	$370.67	$2045.29	$1680.18	$6719.52	$45,910.16

*These totals included in total for Cooperative Program and all specials.

ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1934

Index Number	Churches	Does Church have General B.Y.P.U. Organization?	The Young People's Work															Men's Brotherhoods		W. M. U. Work											
			Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking B.Y.P.U. Study Course	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Students in College From Your Church	Number Brotherhoods	Enrollment Brotherhoods	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses
1	Ansonville	Yes	--	1	--	1	2	--	--	15	--	12	27	1	15	8	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	17	--	--	--	--	17	--
2	Bethel	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	--	--	12	--
3	*Brown Creek	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	15	--	--	--	--	15	--
4	Cartledge Creek	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
5	*Cedar Grove	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	20	--	--	20	--	8	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	10	--	--	--	--	10	--
6	Cobb Memorial	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
7	Deep Creek	Yes	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	22	--	--	22	--	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
8	East Laurinburg	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	--	--	12	--
9	East Rockingham	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
10	Ellerbe	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	1	--	15	8	9	32	20	22	21	--	--	--	1	1	--	1	4	30	15	--	15	30	90	--
11	Gibson	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	11	14	6	31	11	14	19	7	--	--	1	--	1	1	4	14	--	15	7	17	53	--
12	Gum Springs	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	14	32	16	62	20	20	--	1	1	25	1	--	--	--	1	36	--	--	--	--	36	--
13	Hamlet, First	Yes	--	1	1	2	4	2	--	26	30	35	91	39	32	22	--	--	--	1	1	1	1	5	120	18	46	25	50	259	--
14	Hoffman	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
15	Laurinburg, First	Yes	--	--	1	1	2	--	--	--	18	25	43	17	10	25	--	--	--	1	1	1	--	1	4	80	8	10	--	10	108	30
16	Lilesville	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	18	15	12	45	12	10	--	10	--	--	1	1	--	--	2	24	20	--	--	--	44	--
17	Midway	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
18	Morven	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	--	1	3	26	--	6	--	8	40	--
19	Mount Olive	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
20	McDonald	Yes	1	1	1	1	4	--	6	12	15	9	42	24	18	8	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
21	Peachland	Yes	1	1	1	1	4	--	8	12	8	8	36	--	--	6	6	--	--	1	1	1	--	1	4	22	6	18	--	15	61	--
22	Pee Dee	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	10	--	--	--	10	10
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
25	Polkton	Yes	--	1	--	1	2	--	--	23	--	23	46	20	25	35	3	--	--	1	1	1	1	5	30	12	14	8	11	75	--
26	Red Hill	Yes	1	1	1	1	4	--	10	17	25	9	61	23	34	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	--	--	12	--
27	Roberdel	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	8	--	--	--	--	8	--
28	Rockingham, First	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	20	19	21	60	25	31	32	10	--	--	1	2	1	--	4	50	25	15	--	--	90	51
29	*Rocky Mount	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	15	--	--	--	--	15	--
30	*Rocky River	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	--	--	12	--
31	Saron	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
32	Spring Hill	Yes	--	1	--	1	2	--	--	15	--	15	30	--	--	--	3	--	--	1	1	--	--	1	3	22	15	--	--	20	57	12
33	Steeles	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--	1	--	--	--	2	7	--	--	--	43	50	--
34	Wade	Yes	--	1	1	2	4	--	--	21	35	67	123	45	--	70	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	11	--	--	--	--	11	--
35	Wadesboro, First	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	21	26	14	61	18	41	46	9	--	--	1	1	1	1	5	93	29	9	17	30	178	48
	Totals	16	3	16	12	17	48	3	24	282	245	281	832	275	308	292	74	1	25	25	11	9	6	11	62	691	168	142	79	242	1,322	151

*These churches are not within the Pee Dee Association but are included in Churches of the B. Y. P. U.'s and the Woman's Missionary Union of the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

THE HISTORICAL TABLE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1816	Richland Creek, Montgomery County		John Culpepper, Sr.	
1817	Cedar Creek (A)			
1819	Bethlehem Meeting House (R)			
1820	Jersey Settlement, Davidson County			
1821	Cartledge Creek (R)			
1822	Rocky River (A)			
1823	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1824	Pine Woods, Rowan County			
1825	Bear Creek			
*1827	Bethlehem, 2nd. Anson County			
*1828	Cedar Creek, Anson County			
*1829	Saron, Richmond County			
*1830	Cartledge Creek, Richmond County			
*1831	Brown Creek, Anson County			
*1832	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
*1833	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
*1836	Kendalls, Montgomery County			
*1837	Bethel, Montgomery County			
*1838	Cross Roads Church, Montgomery County			
*1839	Saron, Richmond County			
*1840	Cedar Creek, Anson County			
*1841	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
*1842	Rocky Church, Anson County			
*1843	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
*1844	New Union Meeting House, Montgomery County			
*1845	Pleasant Grove, Anson County			
*1847	Church In Fork, Little River, Montgomery County			
*1848	Bethel, Montgomery County			
*1849	Brown Creek, Anson County			
*1850	Union Church, Montgomery County			
*1852	Pee Dee Church, Anson County			
*1856	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
1872				W. L. Wright
1873	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
1877	Pee Dee, Anson County	W. M. Bostick	W. M. Bostick	Collier Cobb
1883	Mt. Carmel, Montgomery County			
†1889	Spring Hill		B. H. Phillips	A. Johnson
†1890	Cartledges Creek		A. C. Dockery	A. Johnson
†1891	Pleasant Grove		J. B. Covington	A. Johnson
†1892	Laurinburg, First		J. B. Covington	A. Johnson
1893	Morven	J. Q. Adams	Dr. E. H. Covington	S. T. Flake
1894	Wadesboro, First	J. F. Tuttle	E. A. Covington	W. D. Webb
1895	Spring Hill	T. S. Wright	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1897	Rockingham, First	W. M. Jones	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1898	Wadesboro, First	Dispensed with	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1899	Ansonville	W. M. Jones	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1901	Polkton	C. L. Greaves	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1902	Pleasant Grove (R)	J. F. Love	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1903	Brown Creek	G. O. Wilhoit	E. A. Covington	W. J. Matthews
1905	Red Hill	E. D. Cameron	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1906	Rockingham, First	Livingston Johnson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1907	Wadesboro, First	W. H. Whitehead	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1908	Laurinburg, First	A. M. Burleson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1909	Peachland	T. G. Wood	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1910	Hamlet, First	Josiah Crudup	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1912	Hoffman	J. F. Davis	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1913	Lilesville	A. T. Howell	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1914	Rockingham, First	W. H. Reddish	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1915	Ellerbe	Bruce Benton	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1916	Wadesboro, First	James Long	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1917	Spring Hill	W. T. Baucom	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1918	Gibson	T. B. Justice	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1919	Hamlet, First	A. C. Hamby	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1920	Cartledge Creek	C. B. Austin	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1921	Wadesboro, First	R. T. Vann	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1922	Saron	J. M. Arnette	W. E. Harrison	W. J. Matthews
1923	Pleasant Grove (A)	J. B. Willis	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1924	Hoffman	C. L. Jackson	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1925	Ansonville	No sermon	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1926	Hamlet, First	E. V. Babb	E. P. Pearce	W. J. aMtthews
1927	Entwistle	J. A. Snow	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1928	Morven	J. F. Hoyle	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1929	Peachland	B. F. Bray	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1930	Rockingham, First	C. E. Ruffin	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1931	Laurinburg, First	J. C. Meigs	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1932	Bethel	T. W. Hearne	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1933	Wadesboro, First	W. Emory Trainham	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1934	Pee Dee	W. H. Moore	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane

*Record where the Pee Dee Baptist Association met these years determined by Charles B. Deane, Clerk, from personal examination of original Saron Church Minute Book.

†Record these years determined by E. M. Brooks, Historian, from Baptist Collection, Wake Forest College Library.

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DIRECTORY OF ASSOCIATION

OFFICERS

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator*.....Rockingham, N. C.
BENJAMIN M. COVINGTON, *Vice-Moderator*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk*.....Rockingham, N. C.
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*.....Rockingham, N. C.
E. M. BROOKS, *Historian*.....Peachland, N. C.

PROMOTION-EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Church—Address

T. W. HEARNE, *Chairman*.....Pee Dee, Rockingham, N. C.
E. G. WADDELL.....Ansonville, Ansonville, N. C.
C. H. HARTSELL.....Bethel, Jackson Springs, N. C.
JACK COVINGTON.....Cartledge Creek, Rockingham, N. C.
T. R. WILLIAMS.....Cobb Memorial, East Rockingham, N. C.
R. R. USSERY.....Cordova, Cordova, N. C.
J. L. BECK.....Deep Creek, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
W. S. ALFORD.....East Laurinburg, East Laurinburg, N. C.
B. H. MCCOY.....East Rockingham, Rockingham, N. C.
C. M. BRADY.....Ellerbe, Ellerbe, N. C.
J. M. GARDNER.....Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
ROY HUTCHINSON.....Gum Springs, Lilesville, N. C.
E. P. PEARCE.....Hamlet, First, Hamlet, N. C.
MRS. LASTER COVINGTON.....Hoffman, Hoffman, N. C.
R. E. L. CORRELL.....Laurinburg, First, Laurinburg, N. C.
J. E. DIGGS.....Lilesville, Lilesville, N. C.
CLYDE BENOIST.....Midway, Rockingham, N. C.
E. B. VAUGHN.....Morven, Morven, N. C.
R. L. DAWKINS.....Mount Olive, Rockingham, N. C.
BEN USSERY.....McDonald, Rockingham, N. C.
B. J. JENKINS.....New Hope, Rt. 4, Rockingham, N. C.
V. O. BRYANT.....Peachland, Peachland, N. C.
JACK HUMBER.....Pee Dee, Rockingham, N. C.
E. R. GILMORE.....Pleasant Grove(A), Wadesboro, N. C.
W. F. CAMPBELL.....Pleasant Grove(R), Rt. 1, Rockingham, N. C.
S. L. THOMAS.....Polkton, Polkton, N. C.
K. N. EDWARDS.....Red Hill, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
J. W. NICHOLSON.....Roberdel, Roberdel, N. C.
MISS FAN LONG.....Rockingham, First, Rockingham, N. C.
C. M. COVINGTON.....Saron, Rt. 1, Ellerbe, N. C.
MONROE MCMILLAN.....Spring Hill, Wagram, N. C.
M. T. LONG.....Wade, Wadesboro, N. C.
J. M. AUSTIN.....Wadesboro, First, Wadesboro, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL AUXILIARIES

B. T. U. CONVENTION

Aubrey S. Tomlinson, *Pastor Advisor*.....Laurinburg, N. C.
C. Ray Little, *President*.....Polkton, N. C.
Miss Lena Marks, *Vice-President*.....Rockingham, N. C.
Miss Willa Marks, *Secretary-Treasurer*.....Rockingham, N. C.
Miss Anna Harrington, *Junior-Intermediate Leader*..Lilesville, N. C.
Miss Edna Flake, *Reporter*.....Polkton, N. C.
Bobby Carroll, *Pianist*.....Hamlet, N. C.
Mrs. Rosa Paisley, *Chorister*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
Miss Irene Preslar, *Anson District Leader*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
Charles B. Deane, *Richmond District Leader*.....Rockingham, N. C.
Miss Frances McManus, *Scotland Leader*.....Gibson, N. C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

C. C. Reece, *Superintendent*.....Gibson, N. C.
R. P. Harris, *Secretary-Treasurer*.....Gibson, N. C.
Jack Humber, *Superintendent Group 1*.....Rockingham, N. C.
Carmon Greene, *Superintendent Group 2*.....Ellerbe, N. C.
C. C. Greene, *Superintendent Group 3*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
J. R. Terry, *Superintendent Group 4*.....East Laurinburg, N. C.
James Farlow, *Superintendent Group 5*.....Lilesville, N. C.

W. M. U. CONVENTION

Mrs. Wallace Hartsell, *Superintendent*.....Hamlet, N. C.
Mrs. W. C. Barrett, *Assistant Superintendent*.....Laurinburg, N.C.
Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, *Treasurer*.....Polkton, N. C.
Mrs. Barrington T. Hill, *Secretary*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
Mrs. J. M. Davis, *Mission Study Leader*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, *Personal Service Leader*.....Laurinburg, N. C.
Mrs. Bruce Gore, *Stewardship Leader*.....Rockingham, N. C.
Mrs. L. J. Huntley, *Anson Division President*.....Wadesboro, N. C.
Mrs. Agnes C. Deane, *Richmond Division President*..Rockingham, N. C.
Mrs. Mary Livingston, *Scotland Division President*.....Gibson, N. C.

Delegate Baptist State Convention—C. E. Ruffin.....Ellerbe, N. C.
Associational Missionary—None.
Standing Committee—None.
Laymen's Movement—None.
B. Y. P. U., Sunday School, and W. M. U., Conventions meet on other dates.
Officers Baptist Schools or other Institutions—None.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

Ansonville—Mrs. Pearl Ballard, Olin Ballard, Mrs. Joe Watkins, Joe Watkins.

Bethel—Ernest Hartsell, Mrs. Ernest Hartsell, C. H. Hartsell.

Cartledge Creek—G. H. Kelly, J. Dockery Williams, Mrs. E. T. Harrington, T. G. Thomas, Mrs. C. T. Waters.

Cobb Memorial—T. Rufus Williams, Mrs. Frank Gibson, Miss Maude Ray Williams.

Cordova—William Morris, Mrs. O. D. Bland, Montgomery Morris, Miss Dorothy Honeycutt, Mrs. Annie Carter.

Deep Creek—Mrs. C. R. Leanord, Mrs. Eva Britt, Lester Tucker, J. L. Beck, Luther Knight, Miss Annie L. Webb.

East Laurinburg—W. S. Alford, Mrs. Eric Hudson, Miss Golia Hulon, Mrs. A. W. Bridgers.

East Rockingham—Miss Maude Sessoms, Mrs. J. Marvin Smith.

Ellerbe—Walter Hogan, C. M. Brady, C. B. Covington.

Gibson—Carroll McNeill, Francis Bullard, Oscar Quick, R. P. Harris.

Gum Springs—Henry B. Hinson, Mrs. B. Hedrick, J. R. Hutchinson.

Hamlet, First—E. P. Pearce, Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Mrs. S. E. Teague.

Hoffman—None.

Laurinburg, First—Mrs. E. D. Creech, Mrs. Maude Manship, R. E. L. Correll, Mrs. R. E. L. Correll.

Lilesville—Lynn Morton, Eugene Carter, T. B. Seago.

Midway—Joe Melton, J. W. Hasty, David Taylor.

Morven—James Thomas, Mrs. Lewis Adams, Mrs. Hunter Huntley, E. B. Vaughn, Charles E. Stevens.

Mt. Olive—Miss Hazel Dawkins, Miss Nancy Long, Worth Long, O. P. Long.

McDonald—Ben Ussery, Roy McDonald, Franklin Haigler, Miss Lena Marks, S. C. Love.

New Hope—T. F. Lentz, Roy Biles, A. W. Chappell.

Peachland—Van O. Bryant, A. D. Griffin, J. W. Thomas.

Pee Dee—M. R. Soloman, L. L. Thrower, Ralph Benoy, Jr., Mrs. Ralph Benoy, Jr., Mrs. F. E. Morgan.

Pleasant Grove (A)—E. R. Gilmore, Mrs. E. R. Gilmore, C. B. Allen, C. T. Bates, Will Garris.

Pleasant Grove (R)—Zack Grice, Miss Sallie Dabbs, W. F. Campbell.

Polkton—Miss Lelia Goodman, J. Goodman.

Red Hill—J. B. Pope, Sr., Robert Turner, T. Y. Porter, Mrs. T. Y. Porter.

Roberdel—Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. Sallie Dunn, Mrs. Ida McNeill, Eugene Lampley.

Rockingham, First—Miss Fan Long, Mrs. T. B. Liles, Mrs. H. W. Warner, Mrs. B. F. Palmer, Mrs. F. I. Mason.

Saron—C. M. Covington, Jeff Covington, H. C. Biles.

Spring Hill—John R. Miller, W. T. Crump, D. W. L. Smith, Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. A. D. Thomas, Charles McMillan.

Wade—Harold Tarlton, Mrs. M. T. Long, Mrs. T. D. Flack, Kennedy Berry.

Wadesboro, First—L. J. Huntley, K. W. Ashcraft, J. M. Austin, B. M. Covington.

CONSTITUTION

Article 1. This Association shall be called the Pee Dee Baptist Association.

Article 2. This Association shall be composed of messengers elected annually by the Baptist churches co-operating with this Association.

Article 3. The officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall be elected as the first item of business after reading letters and enrollment of messengers, and shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

Article 4. The object of this Association are Missionary, Educational and Benevolent, together with the deeper fellowship and larger Christian usefulness of all who co-operate with it.

Article 5. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers, and one additional messenger for every fifty members over one hundred.

Article 6. The churches co-operating with this Association shall send by the hands of their messenger, a full account of all work done by them during the year, and all such statistics and information as will be interesting and helpful.

Article 7. This Association shall meet once a year at such time and place as may be agreed upon by the preceding session, or by its Executive Board.

Article 8. The Association shall elect a Promotion-Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association. Each member to be recommended by his church and elected by the Association for a term of one year. The officers of the Association and the Ministers of the churches are to be *ex-officio* members of this Committee. Eleven members present shall constitute a quorum of this Committee.

Article 9. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint some one to write a report of the whole Co-operative Program; and it shall be the duty of the Program Committee to appoint a leader to speak on each phase of the work. And it shall be the duty of the Moderator to appoint a committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next session, and to make all nominations for officers and executive committees.

Article 10. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of this Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers attending such meeting: *Provided*, that notice of such change shall have been given during the first sitting of said meeting after permanent organization.

RULES OF DECORUM

1. The sessions of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

2. Visitors and corresponding messengers, after they shall have been accepted by the Association and enrolled as such, shall have the privilege of speaking.

3. The right to speak on any subject and the length of time is left with the Association at the direction of the Moderator.

4. Unbrotherly remarks and personal reflections must be avoided by all speakers.

5. The parliamentary proceedings of this Association shall be governed by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED TWENTIETH ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD WITH

GUM SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

Lilesville, North Carolina

October 22, 1935

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION

October 22, 1935

1. At 10:00 o'clock A.M., on October 22, 1935, the One Hundred Twentieth Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Association convened in the auditorium of the Gum Springs Baptist Church in Anson County.

2. Bruce Benton, Rockingham, completing his eighth year as Moderator of the Association called the Association to the transaction of business with Pastor A. R. Brothers of the host church, leading in the singing of "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord," and "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story," assisted at the piano by Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro.

3. Devotions in this opening period were led by A. R. Brothers. W. H. Moore, Wadesboro, prayed.

4. Prior to the enrollment of messengers by Clerk Charles B. Deane, Rockingham, Brother Brothers extended a welcome to the Association.

Enrollment: Clerk Deane upon roll call reported that each of the thirty-two churches in the Association had filed their Church Letters prior to the Association date and each church represented by messengers, except Hoffman and Roberdel. It was ruled that the 425 or more people registered for the sessions, being one of the largest and most enthusiastic groups present in many years, shall constitute the Association.

Song: "Trusting Jesus".

5. Moderator Bruce Benton announced the following Committees: *Nominating Committee:* C. E. Ruffin, *Chairman,* D. W. L. Smith, Charles E. Stevens, J. B. Willis, J. Marvin Smith. *Committee on Committees:* T. W. Hearne, *Chairman,* W. H. Moore, A. R. Brothers, E. M. Brooks, K. W. Ashcraft.

6. It pleased the Association at this time to welcome into the membership Aubrey S. Tomlinson, new pastor at Laurinburg and J. I. McGill, new minister at Lilesville and Pleasant Grove (A), whereupon the Moderator welcomed these two brethren into the ranks.

7. At the call of the presiding officer, Baptist Churches desiring admission into the Association placed their applications with the Clerk for Committee investigation and report.

8. A warm welcome was extended to the following visitors who responded at the request of the Moderator.

Visitors: Editor John Arch McMillan, *Charity & Children*, Thomasville; President Coy Muckle, Wingate Junior College, Wingate; J. A. Snow, Wingate; Miss Hattie Gardner, recently of the Pee Dee Association, and Southern Baptist Missionary elect to Africa; and John Coleman, Hartsville.

9. Reporting for the Nominating Committee, J. B. Willis, submits the names of Bruce Benton, Rockingham, Moderator, Benjamin M. Covington, Wadesboro, Vice-Moderator, Charles B. Deane, Rockingham, Clerk-Treasurer and E. M. Brooks, Peachland, Historian, for re-election, whereupon C. E. Ruffin, Chairman of the Committee, in the absence of further nominations, put the motion made by John R. Miller to elect, and the names as reported were unanimously elected.

10. Treasurer Charles B. Deane, Rockingham, presents his report:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Rockingham, N. C.,
October 22, 1935.

CHARLES B. DEANE, *Treasurer*
In Account with
THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

To amount in Bank, October 20, 1934	$ 18.58	
To amount collected for Minute Fund	195.26	
By amount paid, Railway Exp. Co., Express		$ .55
By amount paid, Seeman Printery, Inc., Minutes		125.99
By amount paid, Clerk Salary		35.00
By amount paid, postage, stamps, paper		12.15
By amount paid, typing, paper, programs, etc		7.50
By amount paid, Federal Tax, Checks		.04
To amount in Farmers Bank & Tr. Co., this date		32.61
	$213.84	$213.84

Respectfully submitted,
Chas. B. Deane, Treasurer.

11. Mrs. J. I. McGill, Lilesville, sang "Living for Jesus", assisted by a chorus from the various churches in the Association.

12. Pastor J. B. Willis, Hamlet, observed the absence for the first time in several years of Brother J. A. Summey, Hamlet, and the Association instructed Brother Willis to carry the best wishes of the Association to this beloved minister.

13. Immediately thereafter it was the pleasure of the audience to hear, following prayer by John Arch McMillan, the Annual Sermon so ably presented by Brother Willis, who used I Cor. 3:9, "For We Are Laborers Together with God" as his text basis and "Working Together with God" as his theme.

Song: "I Am Resolved."

14. All phases of the Baptist work in the State were splendidly presented in the Associational Report, excellently prepared and read by C. E. Ruffin, to be unanimously adopted and following herewith upon motion by W. H. Moore.

THE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT

INTRODUCTION OF REPORT

15. It is related of Michael Angelo, that on one occasion he entered the studio of one of his students during his absence, whereupon he noticed a sketch upon which the young man had been working. The master at once recognized that the design was too cramped, so he took a crayon, and wrote across the face of the work: "Amplius." This he did three times, thus obtaining the desired results. "Larger" was the motto of the great artist.

16. Baptists of the Pee Dee Association feel justly proud of the progress made in the work of the churches that constitute the Association. The year has not been one of retreat, but one in which steady gains have been made in all departments of our organized work. For this advancement, we are grateful and humbly proud. Just here a word of warning might be timely. We have not reached the summit of success, moreover, there is yet room for enlargement in the work Christ has chosen for us to do. Every far-seeing disciple knows that our times are chaotic, faith is to a degree eclipsed, and multitudes, at home and abroad, are adrift in darkness and superstition. May the success gained in the past year not serve as a stop-weight in our onward march, but rather let us write across the design that our Lord started, and will, in His own good time, bring to its final completion; but who, in His wisdom, has chosen every Christian as a co-laborer, "I will enlarge my efforts in the coming days as I labor with Him in His Kingdom's Work."

THE CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM OF BAPTISTS

17. Baptist people have always made their boast that they believe in the whole program of Jesus Christ, as follows: "The preaching of

the Gospel to the ends of the earth, baptising believers, teaching all things the Lord hath commanded, and aiding in the helping of the unfortunates of this world.'' Baptists are well aware that we fall short in this task. In all probability, our democratic form of government, which leaves to every church the making of its own program, is in some measure responsible for the failure of many Baptist Churches to lend their aid in the entire program of Christ. However, this weakness, to some extent, has been overcome, through a system that is fast becoming popular with the majority of our Baptist Churches, known as the Co-Operative Program. Briefly stated, it is a program whereby every member of every Baptist Church within the bounds of the Southern Baptist Convention, may have a part in the whole program of Southern Baptists—local, State, and world-wide. The program is not a perfect plan, but surely it is the best plan yet devised for promoting a world program of preaching, teaching, healing, and visitation of the needy.

18. It is with much regret that one learns of the failure of many of our churches to try, at least to some extent, to enlist their membership in the co-operative work of the Master. In a booklet prepared by the executive board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the Executive Board of the State Baptist Convention it is revealed that over 2,000,000 members of the various churches have little or no part in the program as outlined by the Convention. This verily is a condition every Christ-loving church-loyal Baptist should prayerfully seek to overcome. To this end the Every-Member Canvass was inaugurated by the Southern Baptist Convention, as an efficient method with which to overcome the irregular method of finance now relied upon by many Baptist churches, to carry on the work of Christ. The success of this undertaking rests largely with the leaders of our churches, and it is our firm conviction that time spent in instructing and enlisting our people, who, in the main, are open-minded and co-operative, will assure results that will be highly pleasing and beneficial.

MISSIONS

19. Isaiah, one of the most eloquent voices of the ages, had ever on his lips the cry of freedom. He rejoiced mightily in the full free joy of his people. The tidings of a new liberty would always strike such a one with an ecstasy of delight. His words of beauty and spontaneity would greet the messengers of such an emancipation with honor. ''How beautiful upon the mountains,'' exclaimed this silver-tongued patriot with rapture, ''are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings.''

20. And so, too, has the world delighted to honor those harbingers of freedom who have come in the unselfish task of bearing to humanity the message of true hope. Little of respect is paid to those who must be the carriers of tidings unappreciated by those to whom they come, but those conveyors of good news who make the people, whom they serve,

rejoice with them in the tidings they bear, are honored and hailed as the very ambassadors of God, for they have added light to light and have made joy a rejoicing.

2. The bearing of God's Good News, the Gospel of Freedom, is the true heart of missions, and the unveiled centuries will not forget those who labored unselfishly and sacrificially that those that were once in darkness might see the Great Light. A Carey in India, a Livingston in Africa, a Judson in India, and a Payton in the South Isles, these harbingers of Truth and Freedom, who in the early morn of missionary endeavor, carried the message of the Eternal Galilean to the remote corners of the earth, challenge us to carry on in the great work of missions. They lived, they wrought, they died, but not in vain. The influence of their lives continues to shine.

22. So, too, the early Christian Church, and the historic Christian hosts have given to us a divine and human heritage. Every Christian, to be true to his Lord, and to those who have labored not in vain, must be a conveyor of the Gospel of Christ to the hosts of sin that surround us on every side. The Christian cannot escape the responsibility that is his, by Divine Commission, to carry the Gospel to the utmost parts of the earth.

State Missions

23. The generally applied term State Missions is at the best misleading, and to many, has served as a useful alibi for their failure to keep march with Christ's entire program. While it is true, that "Charity begins at home," it is equally true, that it is a poor charity that will lavish its all upon one's self, at the same time, leaving many a poor Lazarus just outside the gate of our own State to starve and die unaided. The true Christian spirit is to keep the home fires burning, but to be so warmed by the flames and inspired by the lights therefrom, that we will give our best to help warm and brighten the firesides of the people of the earth. Thus it would be commendable on the part of our Baptist people, should we think of our work in terms such as "Missions within the State, in the Southland, and to the utmost parts of the earth."

24. Our mission work in the State, under the supervision of our able and efficient General Secretary M. A. Huggins, is progressing satisfactorily in all departments. We are greatly encouraged to know that the Board is free from debt. This handicap having been removed, the Board is free to enlarge its work in many needed places. With a view to efficiency the Board has employed the services of two State Missionaries, whose work it will be to assist in revivals, hold pastors' and stewardship conferences, thus aiding the smaller churches to become more efficient in their work. Satisfactory reports come from our missionaries. At present the work among the Indians in Robeson County is under the supervision of Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Lunsford.

Work among the Cherokee Indians, in Swain County, is carried on by Rev. W. F. Sinclair. The work at Oteen is under the pastoral care of Rev. Wayne W. Williams. With regard to the other divisions of the State Mission Work, viz., Sunday School, B. T. U. and Student Work, the Board is able to report splendid accomplishments. Also the Board continues to minister, though in a limited way, to several hundred students in our educational institutions.

Home Missions

25. Several years ago, this department of our work was dealt, what many thought, to be a death-blow. It was generally predicted that the end had come. The reverse proved to be true. Today there is probably no more efficient agency in our Southern Baptist work than our Home Mission Board, under the able leadership of Dr. J. B. Lawrence, Secretary, Atlanta, Ga. By careful planning, and the instituting of measures that guarantee the future monetary policy of the Board, this department of our work has won the confidence of our Baptist people, so the present call is not for confidence, but a liberal support of the work carried on by this agency. This Board, by exercising the most rigid economy, reports that last year they were able to live within their income, at the same time making substantial debt payments.

26. At present the Board has in its service 212 missionaries and workers, and over 400 mission stations and preaching places. It is operating in whole or in part 5 good will centers, two rescue missions; and a seaman's institute; it has fifteen schools operated by the missionaries, and is furnishing the property of eight mountain schools, free of charge, to local boards of trustees for operation of schools in the mountain sections. It is operating a tubercular sanatorium, and has a building and loan department, with over a million dollars loaned to churches. To this agency we pledge our hearty and prayerful co-operation.

Foreign Missions

27. The growing indifference on the part of many in regards to this department of our work is alarming. However, a beam of light penetrates the cloud of indifference that apparently has been gathering. There was an increase, according to the State records, of 15%, in gifts to missions, over last year's in the Pee Dee Association. This is encouraging.

With regards to missions abroad, it is the conviction of this Association that the time was never more opportune for the proclaiming of Christ's message than the present. Today, the soldiers of Christ must heed His command to "Go Forward!" War drums muffle their doleful hum, bugles blast the call to arms, the breath of dictators, heard in many lands, fan to white heat the fires of militarism, and millions are about to take the plunge into the grave-yards of oblivion, whose only reward will be the satisfying of the greed for gain and lust

for power on the part of these all too prevalent forces for evil in the world today. The times challenge us. Shall we, as soldiers of the King of kings, turn back? What shall our answer be to the cries for help that come from the Macedonias of the world? The best answer to these questions will be a rekindling of the fires of missionary zeal now smoldering in our hearts. Long enough has the world tried, but all in vain, to bring "Peace on earth, good will to men," through peace pacts, trade agreements, military conquests, and isolation. This never has, and never will be done. The ears of the people of the world are listening to hear again the message the Angels sang to the shepherds on the Judean hillsides. The Master "must needs" go through Samaria, because there was one who was in need of His message. Likewise, every true disciple of the Prince of Peace "must needs" carry, or aid in sending, His Gospel of peace and goodwill to the ends of the earth. This task will be accomplished when there is a revival of genuine enthusiasm for foreign missions within our own hearts. The Great Commission must be primary in our denomination; it must be central. This done, and we will dedicate ourselves to the task of carrying out a missionary program worthy of the Name of our Great Redeemer.

28. According to the minutes of the Southern Baptist Convention in the year 1926, the Foreign Mission Board received a total of $2,272,-197.26 for the current budget, the greatest amount ever received in one year. However, the years following showed a steady decline in receipts causing the Board to curtail in all departments of its work. The distressing fact is revealed that our number of missionaries has been greatly reduced, and that work, such as evangelism, colportage, primary and middle schools, hospitals and seminaries have been discontinued or greatly curtailed. This is, indeed, a cause for great concern on the part of our Baptist people. However, our General Secretary of Foreign Missions, Dr. Charles E. Maddry, gives encouragement in the statement that he believes the worst is over, and that from now on the work will be one of advancement rather than retreat. Through the efforts of the Baptist One Hundred Thousand Club substantial reductions have been made in the all-too burdensome debts that hangs over the Board, and the success of this plan gives hope that before long our Foreign mission debts will be paid. Be it said to the everlasting glory of the Woman's Missionary Union, they have continued to manifest their faith and devotion to this part of our work, despite the dark and hazardous days through which we have been passing. Never faltering, but always sacrificing and loyal. In their Lottie Moon, Christmas and other offerings, is given much of the credit for keeping our Foreign Mission work alive. The making possible by the Board, in co-operation with the Relief and Annuity Board of the pension plan, whereby a missionary totally disabled while in service of the Board will receive $500 annually, is a step in the right direction, and should elicit from our Baptist people everywhere the highest praise. To this department of

our work from our State was sent the sum of $6,104.17 for the year ending Sept. 30, 1935, or a gain of $5,446.87. The gain was due in a large measure to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. In this amount is included $1,949.46 from the Baptist One Hundred Thousand Club.

BENEVOLENCES

Hospital

29. Ministering to suffering humanity was a part of our Lord's work during the days of His flesh. In the parable of the Good Samaritan, He vividly portrays what is the Christian's obligation to the multitude of suffering on the highways of life. Those who came to Him for healing never went away disappointed. During His earthly life, He never refused to heal any sick, broken, or bruised body that was brought to Him. A sightless Bartimeus, a discouraged woman, suffering from a prolonged illness, a man handicapped with a withered hand, a boy, writhing in agony, all found in Him release from their physical suffering. His program, always inclusive, commanded His disciples, to heal the sick. Since our Lord never turned a deaf ear to any appeal in behalf of the sick and distressed, thus giving to His followers, by example and precept, the command to minister to the suffering, Baptists must win His approval in their efforts to heal stricken humanity through the ministry of the hospitals, both in the home-land and abroad.

30. In this undertaking we have done well. We own in the home-land a total of 29 hospitals, with a valuation of approximately $15,000,000. These hospitals did a combined business of nearly $6,000,000 last year, treated more than 131,000 patients, and contributed free service to the deserving poor in their communities in the sum of approximately $750,000.

31. Our own hospital at Winston-Salem is doing a praise-worthy work. The hospital, at present, is under the able leadership of Supt. Smith Hagerman, who succeeded the late Dr. G. T. Lumpkin, whose sudden death was a cause of much sorrow among North Carolina Baptists. Ministering to the large number of patients that enter the hospital is an efficient staff of 45 trained nurses of the highest Christian character. Three resident, and 60 medical and surgical doctors, belong to the hospital staff. These doctors are rendering much free service to the patients who cannot pay. The number of patients that have entered the hospital during its 11 years of service to humanity, total 26,000. About one-half of these have been part pay or free patients. This year there will be, according to the report, an increase of 3,500 patients over last year. Of this number the Baptists of the State will have to provide funds for the maintenance of about 1,165. If the pastors of the State, especially those of our own Association, will see that a well-planned Mother's Day program is arranged, we will thus succeed in securing sufficient funds to care for the ever-increasing number of unfortunates that enter the hospital.

North Carolina Baptist Orphanage

32. The corner-stone for the Baptist Orphanage of North Carolina known as the Mills Home, at Thomasville, N. C., was laid August 5, 1885. The first cottage, which was for small girls, was a gift from Dr. Mitchell, who brought the first child to the institution November 11, 1885. This was the active beginning of the one institution Baptists throughout the State delight in referring to as "Our Orphanage." Fifty years of unselfish service in behalf of the unfortunate child has enshrined this institution in the hearts of our people. During the half century over 4,000 children have been cared for by the Baptists of the State, thus giving them an opportunity to prepare themselves for the battles of life. The number now being cared for is nearing the 700 mark, this, together with those receiving help through Mother's Aid, makes by far the largest Baptist denominational family in the Southland. The Kennedy Home, at Kinston, is generally known as the eastern branch of our Orphanage. *Charity and Children*, the official organ from our Home, is a weekly newspaper published at Thomasville. This paper brings the message of the orphans to a large number of Baptists throughout the State each week. In the Pee Dee Association this paper has a weekly visit to 15 churches, in clubs, totalling 555. Added to this are 21 individuals, receiving the paper in 8 churches, thus making the number of churches receiving the paper 23, and the number of individuals 576. It is our sincere desire that those churches not yet availing themselves of the weekly visit of this paper will avail themselves of the privilege of receiving the weekly message from these children by having their names placed on the mailing list. In his report to the State Convention, Supt. Greer distressingly states that the Orphanage is constantly being confronted with the embarrassing situation of denying admittance to many worthy children because of crowded conditions. We truly hope the day is not far distant when we can enlarge our activities.

33. If every church in the Pee Dee Association, and throughout the State would take a once a month offering, adding to this a liberal Thanksgiving offering, many of our difficulties would be solved. Surely Baptists will not forget God's little ones, and will see to it that these foster homes, our orphanages, are adequately provided for, in their Christly ministry, to those who have been bereft of earth's greatest possession—fathers and mothers.

Relief and Annuity

34. All too long have Baptists waited to answer the Scriptural question, "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" For her aged and disabled soldiers the governments of the world has always provided. What a contrast, as we witness the soldiers of the King, left to face the wintertime of life, alone and unaided. However, in recent years, there has been a change of sentiment among the people of Christ, and today,

through the Relief and Annuity Board, the Baptists are seeking to give help and aid to those who have spent their lives in the Master's service. For several years the States in the South undertook to care for their aged ministers, but with no paid secretary, and only some busy pastor to look after the work, their efforts were more or less ineffectual. Seventeen years ago these states agreed to turn this work over to the Southern Baptist Convention. The body immediately appointed the Relief Board, located at Dallas, Tex., with a general secretary, to devote all his time to the work. There are now 52 ministers and 51 widows, a total of 103 receiving help from the Board. Last year cash received from the Board amounted to $6,652.45, while at the same time the Board received from the State $4,715.94. Thus we learn from the above mentioned figures that North Carolina ministers and their wives received nearly $1,500 more than was sent to the Board from this State. We recommend that our people inform themselves in a larger way in regards to the activities of the Relief and Annuity Board.

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

The Sunday School

35. Always true to the "Faith once for all delivered to the Saints," the Sunday School, since its origin, has stood as a mighty bulwark against error, doubt, unbelief, and unsound religious conviction. Like the home and the public school, the Sunday School is a positive institution, and has as its chief aim, the instructing of those who avail themselves of its teaching in religious truths. In a large measure, to this institution is due the praise for turning multitudes into the stream of God's pure grace who otherwise would have been engulfed in the raging torrents of evil that continue to beat down upon us.

36. The Sunday School is not a substitute for, but rather an auxiliary of the Church. In His program Jesus always speaks of the Church as primary. It was for the Church that He died. But Christ placed teaching next to preaching the Gospel, and it is in obedience to His command that the Churches of Christ maintain the Bible teaching agency, the Sunday School.

37. The Sunday School is the seed-bed of church-membership. Here it is that the present-day church organization finds the most fruitful field from which to reap a harvest. Limitless are the possibilities of the Sunday School, provided those who are charged with the responsibility of carrying on this part of the work of the Church, place the emphasis where it belongs, viz.: winning the lost to Christ, attendance at the preaching services of the Church, helping the Christians to live the abundant life, and in securing from its members an effective church membership committed to the whole program of Jesus Christ. This, the officers and teachers of the Sunday School should do by precept and example. All delight in listening to its song of praise, sung in every city, village and community, but one cannot safely refuse to listen

to the murmurings ever becoming more audible, in regards to the failure of many of the leaders in devoting themselves to the entire program of the Church. Such leaders are as blind leading the blind, and eventually if such practice is persistently continued, they, and those unto whom they minister, will become non-effective in the work of the Church. It is our firm conviction that the present need of our Sunday School is for a consecrated effort on the part of its officers and teachers to magnify its preaching service, promote preaching attendance, teach Baptist doctrines, win the lost to Christ, teach missions, and to train and enlist its membership in missionary practice.

38. There are now 32 churches with 5,837 members in the Pee Dee Association. In these churches there are 32 Sunday Schools with an enrollment of 5,143 pupils, officers and teachers. The Sunday School enrollment should be larger than Church membership. All church members should be members of the Sunday School, plus all who are not members of the Church. There is a place in one of the departments of the school for every person. Responsibility for enrolling pupils rests upon the teachers and officers more than any one else.

39. To aid the churches with their Bible teaching work the Baptist State Convention maintains a Department of Sunday School Work with Perry Morgan, Secretary, and L. L. Morgan, Field Worker, Raleigh. Their services are available without cost to the churches for training classes, conferences, Sunday School Revivals, Enlargement Campaigns, Associational Conventions, and all other types of meetings. This department will furnish tracts, postage paid, on any and all phases of the work to any church requesting the same of Secretary Morgan at Raleigh.

Baptist Training Union

40. In the Pee Dee Association seventeen churches have B. T. U. Oganizations, with a total membership of seven hundred and eighty-six. Surely there is much room for enlargement in this field of work. This department is the training station of the Baptist Church, and exists for the sole purpose of training young Christians for local and denominational leadership. To a great extent the future of our churches is dependent upon the efficiency with which this department of our work is carried on. Churches might well look to the training of the capabilities of the young people through the B. T. U. Organizations. Time and energy spent in perfecting a B. T. U. Organization in any church will yield a glorious reward. To this department of our work, may we as pastors, teachers and leaders renew our allegiance.

Christian Education

41. Baptists have always believed in education. From the earliest days of their modern history, our people have championed the cause of true education. But Baptists have always been unwavering in their conviction that Christian education is the only complete education.

Since, therefore, the State cannot teach religion, and believing that no nation can rise higher than the religious life of her people, Baptists have erected and now maintain three senior and four junior colleges. In these institutions we not only give to the students entering their walls the highest in scholastic training, but we endeavor to train them in the true principles of Christianity. There is much pagan education in the world today. It is an education that strengthens the body and sharpens the mind, but which leaves the soul to atrophy. Today the armies of liberalism threaten the very safety of our nation. Modern liberalism repudiates everything supernatural. It interprets Christianity in terms of naturalism. Then, too, the position of these purveyors of doubt and unbelief is ever strengthened by the Goliaths of Rationalism, whose chief aim it is to frighten and harass the loyal Israel of God within our Christian schools. Sad, but all too true, many of our leaders, like Sampson of old, through fear of ostracism or a desire for the plaudits of the world, lie asleep, with their heads in the lap of the world's educational Delilah. The god of materialism must and will be defeated. But just here the question: To whom shall we look for deliverance? By the very genius of our State government religion cannot be taught in our secular institutions. We would not have it so. Through the centuries Baptists have been the consistent and historic advocates of absolute liberty of conscience in the realm of religion and of its inevitable corollary, namely, the separation of Church and State. Our Baptist fathers in Holland in 1611 stated the principle: "The magistrate is not to meddle with religious matters of conscience, not to compel men to this or that form of religion, because Christ is King and Law-giver of conscience.

42. Since we, therefore, believe it unwise for the State to teach religion, what should be our attitude toward State education? We hasten to answer: "Baptists are in sympathy with and pledge to the State our hearty co-operation in every endeavor put forth to give to the youth of our State an opportunity to prepare themselves for useful citizenship." With the immortal Aycock, whose silver voice was heard throughout the State as he plead for boys and girls, Baptists demand for all however lowly their station in life, an opportunity to secure an education. If the State is to survive she must educate her coming generations. So to our great State institutions we say, "March on to victory!" But when all this is said and done, we must, in all conscience, as Christians, build and maintain schools which shall be fundamentally and aggressively Christian. Carlyle once wrote: "We are called upon to put a soul under the ribs of our civilization." This will be done when our leaders recognize that our nation's safety lies in the religious convictions of her leaders, and not in the natural resources she possesses. The facts of history are ever in support of this position. The supremely essential element of human life is the spiritual element. All the material knowledge of the Egyptians could

not save her civilization. All the culture of Greece could not save her civilization. All the statesmanship and philosophy and mighty legal system of Rome could not save her proudly boasted civilization. Well did Daniel Webster say: "To preserve the government we must preserve morals. Morality rests on religion. If we destroy the foundation, the superstructure will fall." To this task our Baptist schools have dedicated themselves. Our efficient educational leader, Dr. Charles E. Brewer, president of Meredith College, very strikingly puts it this way: "We do not teach that the earth is flat and that 'the sun do move.' Rather we teach the earth is separated from the sun by a distance of 91,000,000 miles and that the earth and the moon rotate around the sun. But we also teach our pupils that 'The Heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His handiwork.'" The idea here suggested is one that combines the elements of sound scholarship and true reverence. Christian education, if it is genuinely Christian, cannot neglect facts, but facts are not an end in themselves.

43. The facts of today and yesterday are but a part of the great eternal truths of life, and before truth, any truth, or all truth, Christian education will never falter. Moreover, according to the standards of Christian education, merely for men to know or to act is not enough: men must learn to act from worthy motives, even Christian motives. Herein lies the "plus" of Christian education. Aims are not set up in terms of success that is narrow or selfish, rather the aims are toward success that is broad enough in interest to include the whole world. Science is to be coldly detached when it seeks facts; it is to be warmly aglow with human sympathy in the application of the facts discovered. Indeed more knowledge and skill with purposes less Christian can mean only greater disaster to the individual and to society. Thus emphatically patent it is that hand and hand must go science and religion, knowledge or skill of any kind and spiritualized motives.

44. Every Baptist, man and woman, should, like Aaron and Hur, who, in the time of battle upheld the hands of Moses, should uphold the hands of our educational leaders in the praiseworthy work they are doing for the boys and girls of our State. Let us be big enough to see the opportunities of our day, and then faithful enough to do it according to the will of God.

Religious Literature

45. Today one hears much about the evils of strong drink. Those best acquainted with the facts tell us that our prisons and reformatories are being filled because of drunkenness. I am sure this is the truth. But the vicious literature of our day, schools the reader for every vice in the whole category of crime. One is alarmed at the flood of foul literature that is within our reach today. Papers, periodicals, and magazines, not a few, many of which are worthy to have been edited in the depths of perdition, are placed within reach of our people. The

harmful influence of such literature is everywhere evident. Our people of today are reading foul literature that poisons their minds and corrupts their vision of a higher and cleaner life. Something must be done. The only way to overcome the cheap, vulgar literature that is published in our land today is for our people to promote the reading of good literature. The only way to overcome a bad press is to operate and support a good one. Thus, our people would greatly aid in the fight to decrease crime and immorality if they would aid in placing in every home the literature that is wholesome and uplifting in its influence. The messages printed in the *Biblical Recorder*, the official organ of the Baptist State Convention, each week should be in every home. I am sure that if the *Biblical Recorder* were placed within the homes of our Baptist people much good would be accomplished. Then, too, every Baptist, to be intelligently informed as to the Baptist work within our State should read this periodical. In the 32 churches comprising the Pee Dee Association, the *Biblical Recorder* is received by only 168 people. This is, indeed, a tragic situation. Let us, as loyal Baptists, do our part to help increase the number of subscriptions to our Baptist paper in our association.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. RUFFIN.

46. The Baptist religious publications in the State claimed the attention of the Association with E. M. Harris, Aberdeen, speaking first in behalf of the *Biblical Recorder* and followed by *Charity & Children* Editor, John Arch McMillan, Thomasville.

47. Under miscellaneous business Charles E. Stevens requested the Association to convey through its Promotion Executive Committee a certain lot near Morven, the title to which probably vests in the Pee Dee Baptist Association. A motion by J. B. Willis passed, referring this item to the Promotion Executive Committee and Moderator for final disposition.

48. Announcing for the *Committee on Committees*, A. R. Brothers, reported the following Committees:

(1) *Committee on Time, Place, Preacher:* John R. Miller, *Chairman*, B. M. Covington, and C. Ray Little.

(2) *Committee to Plan 1936 Association Program:* Bruce Benton, *Chairman*, Charles B. Deane, John R. Miller.

(3) *Committee to Audit Books of Treasurer:* J. B. Willis, *Chairman*, C. E. Ruffin, J. M. Austin.

(4) *Committee to Nominate Promotion-Executive Committee:* K. W. Ashcraft, *Chairman*, W. W. Marks, A. S. Tomlinson.

(5) *Committee on New Church Applications:* Walter Hogan, *Chairman*, C. E. Stevens, Luther Knight.

Song: "Near the Cross."

49. W. H. Boggan, Rockingham closed the morning session with prayer.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

50. Re-assembling at 1:30, A. R. Brothers led the Association in the singing of "He is so Precious to Me" and "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

51. The host-pastor expressed at this time to the Lilesville Pastor and Membership, the sincere feelings of appreciation felt by the Gum Springs membership for their splendid co-operation.

52. One of the inspiring moments of the day was here felt when Miss Hattie Gardner, of McBee, S. C., more recently a teacher in the Pee Dee School of Richmond County, was recognized and happily related that she had been accepted as a Southern Baptist Missionary to Africa and would sail to begin her glorious task in the early part of December, 1935.

53. As a substitute motion to one made at the morning session, (see page 22, Section 16), J. B. Willis moved that together with the Moderator a committee of four be named to investigate with the power to act, what, if any title the Pee Dee Association had to the parcel of land near Morven as called to the attention of the Association by Charles E. Stevens, Morven.

This Committee was immediately announced by the Moderator, to-wit: W. H. Moore, *Chairman,* Wadesboro, B. M. Covington, Wadesboro, J. B. Willis, Hamlet, A. R. Brothers, Rockingham.

54. At the request of the Moderator, Benjamin M. Covington, Vice-Moderator, assumes the duties of the presiding officer.

55. Charles B. Deane, Clerk, read the recommendations of the Committee to Nominate members of the Promotion-Executive Committee and upon motion by A. R. Brothers, the Committee by churches is approved as follows; with T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, N. C., as Chairman:

Ansonville, E. G. Waddell; *Bethel,* C. H. Hartsell; *Cartledge Creek,* Jack Covington; *Cobb Memorial,* T. R. Williams; *Cordova,* R. R. Ussery; *Deep Creek,* J. L. Beck; *East Laurinburg,* W. S. Alford; *East Rockingham,* B. H. McCoy; *Ellerbe,* C. M. Brady; *Gibson,* J. M. Gardner; *Gum Springs,* Roy Hutchinson; *Hamlet, First,* E. P. Pearce; *Hoffman,* Mrs. Laster Covington; *Laurinburg, First,* R. E. L. Correll; *Lilesville,* J. E. Diggs; *Midway,* Clyde Benoist; *Morven,* E. B. Vaughn; *Mount Olive,* R. L. Dawkins; *McDonald,* Ben Ussery; *New Hope,* B. J. Jenkins; *Peachland,* V. O. Bryant; *Pee Dee,* Jack Humber; *Pleasant Grove (A),* E. R. Gilmore; *Pleasant Grove (R),* W. F. Campbell; *Polkton,* S. L. Thomas; *Red Hill,* K. N. Edwards; *Roberdel,* J. W. Nicholson; *Rockingham, First,* Miss Fan Long; *Saron,* C. M. Covington; *Spring Hill,* Monroe McMillan; *Wade,* M. T. Long; *Wadesboro, First,* J. M. Austin.

56. Chairman J. B. Willis reported an audit of the Treasurer's report and moving adoption the report was approved.

57. Committeeman C. Ray Little, reported and upon motion the Association voted unanimously to accept the report on Time, Place, and Preacher for the 1936 Session to-wit:

Time: As prescribed by the Constitution.
Place: Spring Hill Baptist Church, Wagram.
Preacher: Aubrey S. Tomlinson, Laurinburg, N. C.
Alternate: O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.

58. The Committee on New Church application reported through the Association Clerk that the application of River View Baptist Church for admission into the Association be placed on file subject to further consideration at the next annual meeting. Upon motion by Walter Hogan, Ellerbe, the report was accepted.

59. T. W. Hearne, Chairman of the Promotion Executive Committee, assumed the chair and at his request representatives from the churches responded with Minute reports on outstanding accomplishments.

60. This was followed by the exhibition of a blackboard reproduced on the following page, by Charles B. Deane, Clerk, who gave an informative analysis of the work of each church for the year ending September 30, 1935, as compared with the period ending September 30, 1934. In this analysis it was revealed that several churches placed a large number of members on the inactive list. The Association membership now being 5,832. This report also showed reduced total enrollments in the Sunday School, B. T. U. and W. M. U. It was encouraging however to note that 22 of the 32 churches contributed more to local gifts than in the year previous and that 22 of the 32 churches gave more to Denominational objects than at the close of last year. The total local gifts being $41,913.92 and the total Denominational Gifts being $49,548.94.

61. Vice-Moderator Covington expressed for himself, and he felt for the Association also, feelings of appreciation for the splendid analysis and blackboard report of the church activities as presented by Clerk Deane, and soliciting for the Association a continuation of this informative discussion at future Association meetings.

62. President Coy Muckle of Wingate Junior College was recognized and he requested the Association to elect three trustees of his Institution in accordance with the College Constitution, whereupon Bruce Benton, nominated T. W. Hearne, Rockingham, for the three year term; J. B. Willis, moved the election of A. D. Griffith, Peachland, for the 2 year term, and E. M. Harris, placed in nomination R. S. Pruette, Wadesboro, for the 1 year term, and upon vote the Association elected the nominees unanimously.

63. A discussion of the Associational Report as read in the fore-

COMPARATIVE DIGEST OF CHURCH LETTERS

Index Number	Churches	Number of Church Members 1935	Baptism		Total Additions		Enrollment: Sunday School		Enrollment: B.T.U.		Enrollment: W.M.U.		Contributions: Local		Contributions: Denominational		Contributions: Total		Biblical Recorder		Denominational Aims	
			Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year
1	Ansonville	117	4	6	4	8	108	97	27	33	17	14	$ 334.04	$ 466.11	$ 74.75	$ 92.58	$ 408.79	$ 558.69	5	3	$	$
2	Bethel	67	2		2		55	73			12		149.97	144.92	28.20	27.20	178.17	172.12				
3	Cartledge Creek	82	7	2	7	2	86	94					328.96	241.46	76.20	100.02	405.16	341.48				
4	Cobb Memorial	147		9		20	162	151					4.25	432.10	119.46	28.52	123.71	460.62	2			
5	Cordova	305	4	31	20	39	193	209		35	50	65	1,718.51	1,491.88	102.00	136.75	1,820.51	1,628.63	1			50.00
6	Deep Creek	203	18	10	19	12	55	131	22				288.75	450.29	13.79	15.22	302.54	465.51	3	3	10.00	10.00
7	East Laurinburg	205	8	1	9	7	252	211			12		626.38	385.42	22.78	35.45	649.16	420.87	4	4		
8	East Rockingham	192	20	16	30	21	300	307			90	32	1,913.04	1,516.29	47.46	51.50	1,960.50	1,567.79	2	1	50.00	
9	Ellerbe	178	33	33	34	33	155	168	32	45	47	55	952.00	1,154.00	165.21	273.00	1,117.21	1,427.00	6	6		
10	Gibson	118	1	2	10	9	133	139	31	41	53	44	821.76	875.69	160.27	257.46	982.03	1,133.15	7	6		300.00
11	Gum Springs	199	8	3	8	3	157	160	62	62	36	33	571.42	708.64	97.77	179.42	669.19	888.06	3	5	75.00	84.32
12	Hamlet, First	743	57	18	86	36	610	560	91	90	259	239	5,565.00	6,222.00	2,126.00	2,167.00	7,691.00	8,389.00	25	25	2,000.00	2,000.00
13	Hoffman	76		2		2	56	49				6		66.30				66.30				
14	Laurinburg, First	299	27	7	48	15	312	297	43	43	108	100	6,481.38	5,825.66	695.97	1,003.05	7,177.35	6,828.71	12	19	520.00	650.00
15	Lilesville	190			2	3	173	150	45	44	44	38	388.98	431.92	122.54	108.57	511.52	540.49	3	3	50.00	75.00
16	Midway	31		8	2	17	107	100					197.87	267.73	4.00	4.00	201.87	271.73				12.00
17	Morven	182	8	13	9	22	75	87		18	40	35	552.01	772.59	109.02	148.23	661.03	920.82		2		
18	Mount Olive	22			3	1	40	44					49.18	55.00			49.18	55.00	1	1		
19	McDonald	105	4	20	8	22	81	80	42	33			104.13	170.60	2.00	17.70	106.13	188.30	2	2	10.00	15.00
20	New Hope	27		2		3		43						126.00				126.00				
21	Peachland	190	10	16	16	29	151	168	36	36	61	66	473.68	539.24	108.38	120.51	582.06	659.75	5	7	60.00	100.00
22	Pee Dee	204	11	25	25	31	189	183			10	15	1,359.27	1,476.73	147.45	183.45	1,506.72	1,660.18	3	2	60.00	75.00
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	130	8	8	13	10	68	66					5.00	160.50		5.50	5.00	166.00	2	2	25.00	10.00
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	107	27	3	30	5	103	103					774.78	259.82	42.16	48.44	816.94	308.26	1	1	10.00	75.00
25	Polkton	167	10	1	11	4	142	111	46	40	75	85	868.53	583.45	139.43	145.17	1,007.96	728.62	6	5	25.00	50.00
26	Red Hill	126	16	12	21	13	137	125	61	23	12	9	333.39	501.07	28.88	10.69	362.27	511.76	2	4	75.00	
27	Roberdel	98				3	80	80			8	7	304.71	296.26	37.18	32.00	341.89	328.26	3	3		
28	Rockingham, First	463	13	3	30	31	353	306	60	55	90	107	4,699.98	5,210.62	715.08	844.05	5,415.06	6,054.67	25	14	850.00	900.00
29	Saron	55	10		12		104	79					157.15	154.96	93.61	123.34	250.76	278.30				100.00
30	Spring Hill	156	5	16	9	18	100	100	30	42	57	70	840.89	1,087.81	311.51	315.99	1,152.40	1,403.80	12	14	225.00	300.00
31	Wade	95	2	11	7	20	207	221	123	67	11	23	270.88	1,221.54	47.36	121.42	318.24	1,342.96			75.00	125.00
32	Wadesboro, First	558	9	22	17	38	432	451	61	79	178	173	8,054.75	8,617.32	1,081.06	1,038.79	9,135.81	9,656.11	26	36	400.00	
	Totals	5837	322	300	495	477	5176	5143	832	786	1322	1216	$39,190.64	$41,913.92	$6,719.52	$7,635.02	$45,910.16	$49,548.94	161	168	$4,570.00	$4,931.32

noon session began with Aubrey S. Tomlinson, Laurinburg, speaking on the various Mission tasks.

Song: "I Am Thine, O Lord."

64. Again presiding, Bruce Benton, Moderator, welcomed to the platform General Secretary M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, who brought encouraging news for Baptists in North Carolina. His inspirational address brought joy and appreciation to his audience.

65. Briefly E. M. Harris, Aberdeen, told of the State Mission work he was doing at the State Sanatorium and at Samarcand.

Song: "We're Marching to Zion."

66. A beautiful Memorial service was offered to the memory of Mrs. Shelly Horne Rose, for many years Superintendent of the W. M. U. of the Pee Dee Association. Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, presided and in turn called upon Mrs. T. L. Caudle, Wadesboro who spoke for the Wadesboro Baptist Church of which Mrs. Rose was a member. Following the lovely tribute by Mrs. Caudle, Mrs. May Redfearn, Peachland spoke for the Pee Dee W. M. U. The memorial service closed with Mrs. Little singing "My Task" as Mrs. R. P. Lyon, Wadesboro played.

67. Continuing a discussion of the Associational Report the subject of Christian Education was splendidly presented by J. Dockery Williams, Rockingham.

68. The Baptist Orphanage work in North Carolina was presented first by John R. Miller, Raeford to be followed by Editor John Arch McMillan from the Mills Home Campus.

69. Kennedy Berry, Wadesboro, spoke tellingly on the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

70. Baptist Training Union activities was sincerely discussed by C. Ray Little, Wadesboro.

71. In the absence of the appointed speaker E. P. Pearce, Hamlet, urged a more earnest support of the Sunday School work and that more united effort be given the Pee Dee Baptist Sunday School Convention. This discussion was continued by R. H. Harris, Gibson, the Associational Sunday School Secretary.

72. A discussion of the Relief and Annuity report was made by Charles E. Stevens, Morven.

73. The timely subject of Temperance, held the attention of the Association as W. H. Moore spoke forceably on the topic.

74. It was the pleasure of the Association to hear Charles B. Deane, Rockingham, extend a few brief remarks on the great progress of North Carolina Baptists within the past four years under the capable leadership of our General Secretary M. A. Huggins. Upon motion by the speaker the Association stood in token of their esteem and prayerful support of Brother Huggins and his program for North Carolina Baptists.

75. John R. Miller was requested by the Moderator to express to the Pastor of Gum Springs and his membership, and to the Lilesville Church the thanks of the Association for the hospitable entertainment.

76. The Clerk was requested upon motion by J. B. Willis to send words of appreciation and love as felt by the Association to the family of Mrs. Shelly Horne Rose for her faithful service in the Pee Dee Association.

77. J. B. Willis, Hamlet, brought the large group of messengers, who had remained throughout the day, into close fellowship in a closing message, using as his topic "We Would See Jesus."

78. Declaring "The One Hundred Twentieth Annual Session has come to a glorious closing," Bruce Benton, Moderator called upon Charles E. Stevens, Morven, who prayed.

BRUCE BENTON, *Moderator,*
CHARLES B. DEANE, *Clerk.*

October 23, 1935.

PROCEEDINGS

Forty-first Annual Session

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

BROWN CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
Wadesboro, North Carolina
March 27, 1935

1. Mrs. Shelly Horne Rose, Wadesboro, who for several years has been the capable Superintendent of the Pee Dee Associational W. M. U. called this the forty-first session to order at 10:30 A.M. on March 27, 1935, in the auditorium of the Brown Creek Baptist Church in Anson County.

2. After the singing of "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name", the morning devotions were led by Mrs. W. A. Benton, Hamlet, N. C.

3. At the request of Mrs. Rose, Mrs. H. M. McLaurin, Laurinburg, took over the duties of the presiding officer and recognized Mrs. C. B. Briley of the Brown Creek Church, who extended words of welcome, to which Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram responded.

4. A review of the years work was now given by the Associational Superintendent Mrs. Rose and was then followed by Mrs. C. B. Ledbetter, Polkton, who gave her report as Treasurer.

5. The first feature of the morning session was the inspirational address brought by Miss Pearle Bourne, Birmingham, Alabama, representing the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Song: "He Leadeth Me".

6. Miss Bourne was followed by Mrs. F. D. Creech and Mrs. J. H. Bone, Laurinburg, who presented an interesting dialogue on the work of the W. M. U.

7. Mission study leader, Mrs. J. M. Davis, Wadesboro, now gave the report on the eight mission study classes.

8. Two other splendid addresses were now heard; first Miss Mary Currin, Raleigh, State Young People's Leader, spoke on the greater possibilities of the work among the W. M. U. Auxiliaries, and then Mrs. Beeler Moore, Gastonia addressed the Association bringing a message encouraging an even greater work among the sacrificing and noble Baptist Women of our great State.

9. With the releasing of the following Committees by Mrs. Rose:

Nominating Committee: Mrs. L. H. Huntley, *Chairman,* Mrs. T. Berry Liles, and Mrs. O. W. McManus;

Time and Place: Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, *Chairman,* Mrs. W. A. Benton and Miss Bright Henry, the morning session came to a close.

AFTERNOON SESSION

10. At 1:30 the Association re-assembled and following a song service Mrs. H. M. McLaurin, Laurinburg, offered the devotions and prayed.

11. A report on the work of the Young People in the Association was heard from the leader, Miss Hattie Marks, Rockingham, to be followed by Miss Louise Thomas, Morven, who reported on the Young People's Conference.

12. Following this report Miss Katherine Ledbetter, announced the next Conference to be held at Polkton in late June, 1935, and that William McKinnon, winner of the State Stewardship Contest had been selected to preside over this meeting.

Song: "Take My Life and Let It Be."

13. William McKinnon here gave his prize winning essay on Stewardship.

14. The Association again listened to Miss Currin in the main inspirational message of the afternoon to be followed by Mrs. H. W. Little, Wadesboro, who reported on the W. M. U. State Convention meeting in Durham.

15. These different phases of the Pee Dee W. M. U. work were now reported:

Personal Service, by Mrs. May D. Redfern, Peachland;

Stewardship, Mrs. Bruce Gore, Rockingham;

County Division Presidents: *Anson,* Mrs. Henry Wall, Wadesboro; *Scotland,* Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson; *Richmond,* Mrs. T. Berry Liles, Rockingham.

16. Prior to the election of officers a special session of prayer was offered for Mrs. Ida Hurley, Roumanian Baptist Missionary; it being noted that the Association was meeting in her home church.

17. Mrs. L. H. Huntley, Chairman of the *Nominating Committee* released the following names to act as officers and moving their election the nominees were confirmed:

Mrs. Wallace Hartsell, *President,* Hamlet

Mrs. W. C. Barrett, *Vice-President,* Laurinburg

Mrs. H. W. McLaurin, *Personal Service Leader,* Laurinburg

Mrs. Bruce Gore, *Stewardship Leader,* Rockingham

Mrs. J. M. Davis, *Mission Study Leader,* Wadesboro

Division Presidents, Richmond County, Mrs. Agnes C. Deane, Rockingham; Anson County, Mrs. Shelley Horne Rose, Wadesboro; Scotland County, Mrs. Mary Livingston, Gibson.

18. Singing "Bless Be the Tie That Binds," the session adjourned with prayer by Mrs. Wallace Hartsell.

MRS. SHELLEY HORNE ROSE, *Superintendent,*
MRS. BARRINGTON T. HULL, *Secretary.*

PROCEEDINGS
of the
PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONAL
SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION
PEE DEE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rockingham, North Carolina
September 29, 1935

1. The Third Annual Session of the Pee Dee Baptist Associational Convention convened at 2:30 in the afternoon on the 29th day of September, 1935, at the Pee Dee Baptist Church.

2. Jack Humber, Rockingham, Associational Superintendent announced for the Committee on order of business the program for the afternoon.

3. Following the singing of "Faith of Our Fathers," W. H. Boggan, Rockingham, offered devotions.

4. The Associational Superintendent here spoke about the difficulties facing the work. It being his feelings that even though the Convention was in its infancy the possibilities for greater enlargement awaited the efforts of the Sunday School leaders.

5. He was followed by the report of Lester H. Williamson, Ellerbe, the Secretary. It was noted in his report that the Group Superintendents had failed to send in a single report and it was impossible to give the correct status of the churches. It was determined that the Hamlet Sunday School was the only Standard School in the Association and eight of the thirty-one churches in the Association represented at this meeting.

6. A Nominating Committee composed of W. H. Boggan, *Chairman*, Marion L. Lynch, and J. Marvin Smith, were named by Superintendent Humber.

7. A splendid address on "The Principles of the Sunday School Association was delivered by E. P. Pearce, Hamlet.

Song: "To the Work".

8. He was followed by C. C. Reece, Gibson, who spoke on the important subject "By Whom Should the Association be Supported."

9. Upon motion by W. H. Boggan, *Chairman*, the report of the Nominating Committee was approved and C. C. Reece, Gibson, and R. P. Harris, Gibson, were elected unanimously as the Associational Superintendent and Secretary-Treasurer respectively, with the authority vested in these two to appoint the five group Superintendents.

10. With the singing of "He Leadeth Me" the Convention adjourned following prayer by J. Marvin Smith.

JACK HUMBER, *Superintendent*,
LESTER H. WILLIAMSON, *Secretary*.

Proceedings
of the
Pee Dee Baptist Associational

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION CONVENTION

Rockingham Baptist Church
June 3, 1935

1. The Tenth Annual Pee Dee Associational Baptist Training Union Convention was held with the First Baptist Church, Rockingham on the evening of June 3, 1935, with C. Ray Little, Polkton, President, presiding.

2. It was announced by the presiding officer that due to a severe storm in the western half of the Association preventing therefore a large number of those on the program from attending, the regular order of business would be changed.

3. Following the song and praise service the roll call of churches revealed the presence of 116 delegates from Ellerbe, Hamlet, McDonald, Pee Dee, Polkton, Rockingham, Wade and Wadesboro.

4. Immediately the Convention adjourned into three conferences on Methods. These conferences were led by Miss Winnie Rickett, Raleigh, State B. T. U. Secretary, J. Boyce Brooks, Rowland, Regional President and Miss Zola Rogers, Clinton, Regional Junior-Intermediate Leader.

5. Reassembling C. Ray Little brought an illustrated subject "The Old Rugged Cross," with special vocal and violin music accompanying by Richard Hallyburton, and William Benton, Hamlet.

6. A short and urgent appeal was sounded by Regional President Brooks that all the churches have representatives at the State B. T. U. Convention to be held at Ridgecrest.

7. The splendid inspirational address of the evening was brought by Miss Winnie Rickett, using as her challenging theme "Sin and the Young People."

8. In view of the small representation it was deemed expedient to postpone the election of officers and the Executive Committee was instructed to make these appointments at an early date.

9. With the singing of "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" the Convention closed with prayer by C. Ray Little.

C. Ray Little, *President,*
Willa Marks, *Secretary.*

Our Home-Goers

Who Have Answered the Last Roll Call
Since September 30, 1934

Ansonville—None.
Bethel—Mrs. W. H. Pusser.
Cartledge Creek—Mr. H. C. Covington, Mrs. Emma Capel.
Cobb Memorial—Mr. Hardy Russell, Mr. J. F. Covington, Mr. G. W. Bullard.
Cordova—None.
Deep Creek—None.
East Laurinburg—Mrs. Ila Beasley.
East Rockingham—None.
Ellerbe—Mrs. Gilbert Hogan.
Gibson—Deacon W. H. Webster.
Gum Springs—Deacon R. T. Howie.
Hamlet, First—Deacon R. M. Adams, Mrs. H. E. Bonnitt, Mrs. W. L. Gibson, Mrs. J. F. Glisson, Mr. J. L. Pearson.
Hoffman—None.
Laurinburg First—Deacon L. E. Benton, Mr. R. E. Lee, Mr. T. S. Wilson, Mrs. E. D. Ballard.
Lilesville—Mrs. W. R. Cox, Mr. W. C. Henry, Mrs. P. F. Morton, Mrs. Henry Price.
Midway—Mrs. Louise Shephard.
Morven—None.
Mt. Olive—None.
McDonalds—None.
New Hope—None.
Peachland—Mr. J. W. Caudle, Mr. E. S. Sinclair, Mr. Howard Deese, Mrs. W. E. Horne.
Pee Dee—Mrs. Mollie Whitley, Mr. T. P. Seago.
Pleasant Grove (A)—None.
Pleasant Grove (R)—Mr. A. E. Campbell.
Polkton—Mrs. D. Griffin, Mr. Oscar Owen O'Neal.
Red Hill—Mr. G. W. Pope, Mr. A. J. Springer.
Roberdel—Mrs. S. C. LeGrande, Mr. J. R. Williams.
Rockingham, First—Mr. K. F. McBride, Mrs. S. R. McIntosh, Mrs. J. R. Long, Mrs. R. O. Bateman, Mr. Chas. J. Jones, Mr. P. C. Coley, Miss Ella Davis.
Saron—Mrs. Frances Williams, Mr. George Watkins, Mr. Daniel Baldwin.
Spring Hill—Mrs. J. Wesley Parrish.
Wade—None.
Wadesboro, First—Mrs. Shelly H. Rose, Mrs. Nealie Faulks, Mr. H. H. Coxe, Mr. Hugh Smith.

B. T. U. OFFICERS, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders, and Address*
ANSONVILLE	Mrs. Pearl Ballard (I), Rt. 2, Wadesboro, N. C.
	Miss Florence Sullivan (J), Ansonville, N. C.
BETHEL	No Report.
CARTLEDGE CREEK	No Report.
COBB MEMORIAL	No Report.
CORDOVA	Montgomery Morris (S), Cordova, N. C.
DEEP CREEK	No Report.
EAST LAURINBURG	No Report.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	No Report.
ELLERBE	Miss Louise Vuncannon (D), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Louise Vuncannon (S), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Thelma Hicks (I), Ellerbe, N. C.
	Miss Esther Treece (J), Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Esther McNeil (D), McCall, S. C.
	Miss Lucy Gibson (S), Gibson, N. C.
	R. P. Harris (I), Gibson, N. C.
	Miss Frances McManus (J), Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	J. R. Hutchinson (D), Pee Dee, N. C.
	Miss Minnie Lee Sellers (S), Pee Dee, N. C.
	Mrs. B. Hedrick (I), Lilesville, N. C.
	Miss Lexie Harris (J), Lilesville, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. Marion S. Lynch (D), Hamlet, N. C.
	Keith Arnold (S), Hamlet, N. C.
	J. P. Witherspoon (I), Hamlet, N. C.
	S. A. Braswell (J), Hamlet, N. C.
HOFFMAN	No Report.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Aubrey S. Tomlinson (D), Laurinburg, N. C.
	Mrs. E. D. Creech (I), Laurinburg, N. C.
	Mrs. Charles Grandy (J), Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	James T. Farlow (D), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Kate Lowder (S), Lilesville, N. C.
	Miss Anna Harrington (I), Lilesville, N. C.
	Mrs. Fred Hatcher (J), Lilesville, N. C.
MIDWAY	No Report.
MORVEN	Steagall Byrd (S), Morven, N. C.
MT. OLIVE	No Report.
MCDONALD	Miss Lena Marks (D), Rockingham, N. C.
	Ben Ussery (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	Roy McDonald (I), Rockingham, N. C.
NEW HOPE	No Report.
PEACHLAND	G. A. Cohn (D), Peachland, N. C.
	Mrs. C. A. Redfern (A), Peachland, N. C.
	Miss Louise Thomas (S), Peachland, N. C.
	Mrs. G. A. Cohn (I), Peachland, N. C.
	Mrs. Joe Horne (J), Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	No Report.
PLEASANT GROVE (A)	No Report.
PLEASANT GROVE (R)	No Report.
POLKTON	C. Ray Little (D), Polkton, N. C.
	Robert Baucom, Jr. (S), Polkton, N. C.
	Mrs. Myra Lockhart (I), Polkton, N. C.
	Mrs. W. F. Napier (J), Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	James Cox (S), Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROBERDEL	No Report.

Church	*Directors, Presidents, Leaders, and Address*
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Charles B. Deane (D), Rockingham, N. C. Mrs. Betty A. Seawell (S), Rockingham, N. C. L. Fairley Seawell (I), Rockingham, N. C. V. A. Caudill (J), Rockingham, N. C.
SARON	No Report.
SPRING HILL	D. W. L. Smith (D), Wagram, N. C. B. B. Cole (A), Wagram, N. C. B. B. Cole (S), Wagram, N. C. Mrs. W. T. Crump (J), Wagram, N. C.
WADE	Miss Hazel Dockery (S), Wadesboro, N. C. Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson (I), Wadesboro, N. C. Mrs. T. D. Fleck (J), Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Miss Irene Preslar (D), Wadesboro, N. C. Miss Daisy Lee Hart (S), Wadesboro, N. C. James Jones (I), Wadesboro, N. C. Mrs. Roy Long & Mrs. C. C. Green (J), Wadesboro, N. C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*Name and Address*
ANSONVILLE	William Ballard, Ansonville, N. C.
BETHEL	Cyrus Pusser, Ellerbe, N. C.
CARTLEDGE CREEK	E. R. Hudson, Rockingham, N. C.
COBB MEMORIAL	Ben T. Lineberger, East Rockingham, N. C.
CORDOVA	Miss Nellie Edwards, Cordova, N. C.
DEEP CREEK	J. D. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro, N. C.
EAST LAURINBURG	Miss Thelma Godwin, East Laurinburg, N. C.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Miss Mildred Garrett, East Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Miss Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Roxie Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	Willie Sellers, Pee Dee, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Marion Lynch, Hamlet, N. C.
HOFFMAN	D. M. Bryant, Hoffman, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	C. W. Odom, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Lynn Morton, Lilesville, N. C.
MIDWAY	Miss Vivial Hasty, Rockingham, N. C.
MORVEN	Vernon Watts, Morven, N. C.
MT. OLIVE	Worth Long, Rockingham, N. C.
MCDONALD	Miss Lena Marks, Rockingham, N. C.
NEW HOPE	A. W. Chappell, Rt. 4, Rockingham, N. C.
PEACHLAND	A. D. German, Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	Miss Ruby Martin, Rockingham, N. C.
PLEASANT GROVE (A)	C. B. Aycock, Wadesboro, N. C.
PLEASANT GROVE (R)	Zack Grice, Rockingham, N. C.
POLKTON	Miss Grace Colthran, Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	K. N. Edwards, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROBERDEL	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Jesse P. Phifer, Rockingham, N. C.
SARON	Miss Rosa McRae, Rt. 1, Ellerbe, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Fulford McMillian, Wagram, N. C.
WADE	M. T. Long, Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Miss Rosa Tice, Wadesboro, N. C.

OFFICERS WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Church	*President and Address*
ANSONVILLE	Mrs. Bessie Staton, Ansonville, N. C.
CORDOVA	Miss Essie Spittle, Cordova, N. C.
EAST ROCKINGHAM	Mrs. C. I. Wrape, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Mrs. Pearl Ryne, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Mrs. O. W. McManus, Gibson, N. C.
GUM SPRINGS	Mrs. Beatrice Hedrick, Lilesville, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. C. B. Honeycutt, Hamlet, N. C.
HOFFMAN	Mrs. Laster Covington, Hoffman, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Mrs. H. J. Wall, Lilesville, N. C.
MORVEN	Mrs. P. L. Allen, Morven, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. C. A. Redfern, Peachland, N. C.
PEE DEE	Mrs. Herbert Green, Rockingham, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. Frank Napier, Polkton, N. C.
RED HILL	Miss Louise Martin, Rt. 2, Polkton, N. C.
ROBERDEL	Mrs. J. W. Miller, Roberdel, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Bruce Gore, Rockingham, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Miss Kate McMillan, Wagram, N. C.
WADE	Mrs. Kennedy Berry, Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. R. L. Hardison, Wadesboro, N. C.

OTHER AUXILIARY LEADERS

Sunbeam Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
CORDOVA	Mrs. J. B. Wall, Cordova, N. C.
ELLERBE	Miss Esther Treece, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Mrs. J. M. Gardner, Gibson, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. H. L. Benoy, Hamlet, N. C.
MORVEN	Miss Margaret Thomas, Morven, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. C. A. Redfern, Peachland, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. Oscar Walters, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Browning Allred, Rockingham, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Mrs. Alton Peele, Wagram, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. J. F. Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.

R. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
GIBSON	Miss Lucy Gibson, Gibson, N. C.
PEACHLAND	Mrs. W. H. Edwards, Peachland, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. R. S. Flake, Polkton, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. H. B. Covington, Wadesboro, N. C.

G. A. Leaders

Church	*Name and Address*
ELLERBE	Mrs. C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe, N. C.
GIBSON	Miss Lucille Stubbs, Gibson, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. W. A. Benton, Hamlet, N. C.
MORVEN	Mrs. C. E. Stevens, Morven, N. C.

Church	*Name and Address*
PEACHLAND	Mrs. C. C. Lowery, Peachland, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. B. L. Curlee, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Mrs. Agnes C. Deane (J), Rockingham, N. C.
	Miss Pauline McBride (I), Rockingham, N. C.
WADESBORO	Mrs. Fred Allen, Wadesboro, N. C.

Y. W. A. Leaders

EAST ROCKINGHAM	Mrs. Bessie Lipscomb, Rockingham, N. C.
ELLERBE	Miss Della Spivey, Ellerbe, N. C.
HAMLET, FIRST	Mrs. E. L. Woodall, Hamlet, N. C.
LAURINBURG, FIRST	Mrs. W. C. Barrett, Laurinburg, N. C.
LILESVILLE	Mrs. Kate Lowder, Lilesville, N. C.
POLKTON	Mrs. R. F. Covington, Polkton, N. C.
ROCKINGHAM, FIRST	Miss Rosalie Gore (S), Rockingham, N. C.
	Mrs. T. Berry Liles (J), Rockingham, N. C.
SPRING HILL	Mrs. D. W. L. Smith, Wagram, N. C.
WADE	Mrs. James Hutchinson, Wadesboro, N. C.
WADESBORO, FIRST	Mrs. B. T. Hill, Wadesboro, N. C.

Note All churches not reporting any of the foregoing auxiliaries are omitted.

ORDAINED MINISTERS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN THE CHURCHES OF THE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH A MEMBER	WORK
Bacott, A. J.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Benton, Bruce	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Pastor
Berry, Kennedy	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wade	Pastor
Biles, H. C.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Saron	Member
Boggan, W. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	Mt. Olive	Pastor
Boyd, John P.	Morven, N. C.	Morven	Inactive
Brooks, E. M.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Pastor
Brothers, A. R.	Rockingham, N. C.	Gum Springs	Pastor
Culler, Walter	Norman, N. C.	New Hope	Pastor
Edwards, Wilbur	West Lumberton, N. C.	East Laurinburg	Pastor
Harris, E. M.	Aberdeen, N. C.	Ansonville	Pastor
Harris, Reid	Albemarle, N. C.	Hoffman	Pastor
Hearne, T. W.	Rockingham, N. C.	Pee Dee	Pastor
Holliman, J. C.	Peachland, N. C.	Peachland	Member
Humphrey, H. B.	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Knight, Luther	Hartsville, S. C.	Deep Creek	Pastor
Little, C. Ray	Polkton, N. C.	Polkton	Pastor
Miller, John R.	Raeford, N. C.	Spring Hill	Pastor
Moore, W. H.	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wadesboro, First	Pastor
McGill, J. I.	Wadesboro, N. C.	Lilesville	Pastor
McIntyre, Donald W.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Member
McManus, O. W.	Gibson, N. C.	Gibson	Pastor
Oakes, S. H.	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Member
Ruffin, C. E.	Ellerbe, N. C.	Ellerbe	Pastor
Smith, J. Marvin	Rockingham, N. C.	East Rockingham	Pastor
Stevens, Charles E.	Society Hill, S. C.	Morven	Pastor
Summey, J. A.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Inactive
Thompson, W. M.	Lilesville, N. C.	Gum Springs	Member
Tomlinson, Aubrey S.	Laurinburg, N. C.	Laurinburg, First	Pastor
Ussery, L. D.	Mt. Gilead, N. C.	Saron	Pastor
Webb, U. S.	East Rockingham, N. C.	Cobb Memorial	Member
Williams, J. Dockery	Rockingham, N. C.	Cartledge Creek	Member
Willis, J. B.	Hamlet, N. C.	Hamlet, First	Pastor

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING YEAR

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH A MEMBER	WORK
Parham, E. T.	Euclid Avenue, Charlotte, N. C.	Polkton	Member

STUDENTS FOR MINISTRY

NAME	ADDRESS	CHURCH OF WHICH A MEMBER	WORK
Jones, Gray	Wake Forest, N. C.	Deep Creek	Wake Forest College
Walden, Henry E.	Wake Forest, N. C.	Rockingham, First	Wake Forest College

ASSISTANTS TO PASTORS

None.

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	Is it in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	Pastors and Postoffices	Days of Meeting	Church Membership										Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
						Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses				Total				
							Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Inactive	Deaths	Total Present Members				
1	Asonville	Town	1886	E. M. Harris, Aberdeen	1	110	6	2			1				117	Yes	1	2	3
2	Bethel	Country	1916	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	3	70					2			1	67	No	1		
3	Cartledge Creek	Country	1820	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1	83	2				1			2	82	No	1	1	
4	Cobb Memorial	Village	1909	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 3	135	9	9	2		5			3	147	Yes	2	4	
5	*Cordova	Village	1900	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	270	31	8			4				305	Yes	2	2	
6	Deep Creek	Country	1797	Luther Knight, Hartsville	1, 3	195	10	2			4				203	No	1		3
7	East Laurinburg	Village	1911	Wilbur Edwards, W. Lumberton	Each S.	200	1	6			1			1	205	Yes	1	1	4
8	East Rockingham	Village	1919	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	Each S.	192	16	4	1		6		15		192	Yes	2	3	1
9	Ellerbe	Town	1913	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	1, 2, 4	159	33				13			1	178	Yes	1	4	6
10	Gibson	Town	1884	O. W. McManus, Gibson	Each S.	112	2	7			1	1		1	118	No	1	4	6
11	Gum Springs	Country	1834	A. R. Brothers, Rockingham	1, 3	199	3				2			1	199	Yes	1	2	5
12	Hamlet, First	Town	1890	J. B. Willis, Hamlet	Each S.	892	18	18			25	1	154	5	743	Yes	1	4	25
13	Hoffman	Village	1910	Reid Harris, Albemarle	4	75	2				1				76	No			
14	Laurinburg, First	Town	1879	Aubrey S. Tomlinson, Laurinburg	Each S.	361	7	8			15		58	4	299	Yes	1	3	19
15	Lilesville	Town	1777	J. I. McGill, Wadesboro	2, 4	197		3			6			4	190	No	1		3
16	Midway	Village	1920	J. Marvin Smith, Rockingham	1, 3	31	8	4	5		16			1	31	Yes	1		
17	Morven	Town		Charles E. Stevens, Morven	2, 4	165	13	8	1		5				182	Yes	1	1	2
18	Mount Olive	Country	1931	W. H. Boggan, Rockingham	2, 4	21			1						22	No	2	1	1
19	McDonald	Country	1920	C. Ray Little, Polkton	2, 4	85	20	1	1		2				105	No	1	2	2
20	†New Hope	Country	1933	Walter Culler, Norman	2	24	2		1						27	Yes	1	1	
21	Peachland	Town	1890	E. M. Brooks, Peachland	1, 3	174	16	12		1	9			4	190	No	1	1	7
22	Pee Dee	Village	1915	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	Each S.	194	25	2	4		18	1		2	204	Yes	2	1	2
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	Country	1837	J. I. McGill, Wadesboro	2, 4	124	8	2			4				130	No	1		2
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	Country	1882	T. W. Hearne, Rockingham	1, 3	105	3	2			2			1	107	No	1	1	1
25	Polkton	Village	1853	C. Ray Little, Polkton	1, 3	172	1	3			7			2	167	Yes	1		5
26	Red Hill	Country	1867	C. Ray Little, Polkton	3	117	12	1			2			2	126	No	1	1	4
27	Roberdel	Village	1887	C. E. Ruffin, Ellerbe	2	98		3			1			2	98	No		4	3
28	Rockingham, First	Town	1879	Bruce Benton, Rockingham	Each S.	451	3	28			12			7	463	Yes	1	4	14
29	Saron	Country	1826	L. D. Ussery, Mt. Gilead	1	58								3	55	No	1	1	
30	Spring Hill	Village	1813	J. R. Miller, Raeford	1, 3	140	16	2			1			1	156	No	1	4	14
31	Wade	Village	1925	Kennedy Berry, Wadesboro	Each S.	110	11	9			9	2	24		95	No		4	
32	Wadesboro, First	Town	1869	W. H. Moore, Wadesboro	Each S.	554	22	12		4	28		2	4	558	Yes	1	11	36
	Totals					5,873	300	156	16	5	203	5	253	52	5,837	16	34	67	168

*This Church was formerly Steele's. The name was changed this year to Cordova.
†This Church was first constituted in 1933 and admitted to the Pee Dee Baptist Association October 22, 1935.

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	Superintendents and Postoffices	Sunday School Enrollment										Special Information									
			Beginners, 3-5 Years	Primaries, 6-8 Years	Juniors, 9-12 Years	Intermediates, 13-16 Years	Young People, 17-24 Years	Adults, 25 Years and Up	Cradle Roll, Under 3 Years	Home Department	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment—Including Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Normal Diplomas	Baptisms from School	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Did You Hold a Daily Vacation Bible School?	Enrollment of Vacation School	Average Attendance of Vacation School
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	13	8	27	16	----	25	----	----	8	97	65	No	No	None	6	No	----	No	----	----
2	Bethel	G. O. Jenkins, Ellerbe	----	29	7	9	10	10	----	----	8	73	34	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
3	Cartledge Creek	W. H. Covington, Rockingham	15	----	22	----	30	21	----	----	6	94	48	No	No	None	2	No	----	No	----	----
4	Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham	32	16	18	----	58	20	----	----	7	151	151	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
5	Cordova	R. R. Ussery, Cordova	20	25	15	25	45	60	10	----	9	209	176	No	No	None	25	No	----	Yes	90	74
6	Deep Creek	N. C. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro	10	16	17	28	20	28	----	----	12	131	54	No	No	4	7	No	----	No	----	----
7	East Laurinburg	J. R. Terry, East Laurinburg	----	40	45	40	35	40	----	----	11	211	135	Yes	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
8	East Rockingham	George Wallace, East Rockingham	30	30	40	40	80	50	19	----	18	307	230	Yes	No	5	12	No	----	No	----	----
9	Ellerbe	Walter Hogan, Ellerbe	14	37	22	18	27	35	----	----	15	168	105	Yes	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
10	Gibson	J. M. Gardner, Gibson	8	7	13	18	11	23	16	29	14	139	55	Yes	No	6	2	No	----	No	----	----
11	Gum Springs	J. R. Hutchinson, Lilesville	10	14	20	22	28	48	6	----	12	160	120	Yes	No	10	3	No	----	No	----	----
12	Hamlet, First	E. P. Pearce, Hamlet	40	90	100	76	80	87	30	----	57	560	300	Yes	Yes	50	10	No	----	Yes	125	100
13	Hoffman	A. M. Snider, Hoffman	6	5	7	10	15	----	----	----	6	49	30	No	No	3	2	No	----	No	----	----
14	Laurinburg, First	J. W. Hollis, Laurinburg	20	25	49	35	16	97	14	----	41	297	186	Yes	No	14	5	No	----	No	----	----
15	Lilesville	J. T. Saunders, Lilesville	12	24	25	10	33	36	----	----	10	150	87	No	No	5	None	No	----	No	----	----
16	Midway	Clyde Benoist, Rt. 1, Rockingham	15	12	15	15	15	20	----	----	8	100	70	No	No	None	6	No	----	No	----	----
17	Morven	P. L. Allen, Morven	5	7	10	12	20	20	3	----	10	87	50	Yes	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
18	Mount Olive	O. P. Long, Rockingham	----	10	8	----	8	12	----	----	6	44	35	Yes	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
19	McDonald	John L. McDonald, Rockingham	----	9	9	21	25	9	----	----	7	80	30	No	No	None	18	No	----	No	----	----
20	New Hope	J. S. Wright, Ellerbe	10	----	10	----	----	15	3	----	5	43	15	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
21	Peachland	Van O. Bryant, Peachland	11	10	30	25	36	42	----	----	14	168	80	No	No	5	9	No	----	No	----	----
22	Pee Dee	Jack Humber, Rockingham	10	5	40	20	40	50	5	----	13	183	135	Yes	No	None	13	No	----	No	----	----
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	C. B. Allen, Rt. 2, Wadesboro	15	11	12	12	----	10	----	----	6	66	50	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	----	----	23	40	----	33	----	----	7	103	80	No	No	None	3	No	----	No	----	----
25	Polkton	C. J. Goodman, Polkton	7	12	15	22	13	26	----	----	16	111	90	Yes	No	None	1	No	----	No	----	----
26	Red Hill	J. B. Pope, Rt. 1, Wadesboro	----	20	20	30	25	25	----	----	5	125	80	Yes	No	None	8	No	----	No	----	----
27	Roberdel	E. T. Ballard, Roberdel	----	25	10	6	----	32	----	----	7	80	50	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
28	Rockingham, First	Hoyle W. Davis, Rockingham	18	26	30	34	65	43	10	50	30	306	175	Yes	No	8	None	No	----	No	----	----
29	Saron	P. M. Covington, Ellerbe	----	11	12	12	18	19	----	----	7	79	61	No	No	None	None	No	----	No	----	----
30	Spring Hill	W. T. Crump, Wagram	10	12	14	12	10	32	----	----	10	100	85	Yes	No	None	15	No	----	No	----	----
31	Wade	T. D. Flack, Wadesboro	23	34	49	17	----	46	14	----	38	221	93	Yes	No	18	11	No	----	No	----	----
32	Wadesboro, First	F. A. Huntley, Wadesboro	29	72	89	57	28	100	22	----	54	451	275	Yes	No	19	None	No	----	No	----	----
	Totals		383	642	823	682	791	1114	152	79	477	5143	3230	16	1	147	158	----	----	2	215	174

TABLE III—CHURCH PROPERTY OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	Church Clerks and Postoffices	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was it Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Number of Department Assembly Rooms	Number of Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Mission Chapel if Any	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
1	Ansonville	Miss Gussie Waddell, Rt. 2, Wadesboro	Yes	1887	Wood	225	5	----	4	$ 4,000.00	$----------	$----------	$ 4,000.00	$----------	$ 2,000.00
2	Bethel	C. H. Hartsell, Jackson Springs	Yes	1916	Wood	300	1	----	----	2,000.00	----------	----------	2,000.00	----------	----------
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	Yes	1867	Wood	400	1	----	----	1,000.00	----------	2,000.00	3,000.00	----------	----------
4	Cobb Memorial	Grace Stogner, East Rockingham	Yes	1909	Wood	400	5	----	5	2,000.00	----------	----------	2,000.00	----------	----------
5	Cordova	Virginia Pittman, Cordova	Yes	1900	Wood	400	9	11	8	5,000.00	----------	----------	5,000.00	----------	2,500.00
6	Deep Creek	Mrs. Eva Webb Britt, Rt. 3, Wadesboro	Yes	1815	Wood	400	3	1	3	3,600.00	----------	----------	3,600.00	----------	----------
7	East Laurinburg	W. S. Alford, Laurinburg	Yes	1916	Wood	500	8	8	7	5,000.00	----------	----------	5,000.00	----------	3,500.00
8	East Rockingham	Miss Maude Sessoms, Rockingham	Yes	1919	Wood	800	13	----	15	6,000.00	----------	3,000.00	9,000.00	840.00	2,500.00
9	Ellerbe	Miss Beulah Reynolds, Ellerbe	Yes	1918	Wood	380	12	2	11	3,400.00	----------	2,000.00	5,400.00	----------	3,000.00
10	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	Yes	1920	Brick	400	8	2	9	24,000.00	----------	----------	24,000.00	5,000.00	12,000.00
11	Gum Springs	Mrs. H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	Yes	1931	Brick	700	6	----	6	10,000.00	----------	----------	10,000.00	27.42	----------
12	Hamlet, First	W. H. H. Bagwell, Hamlet	Yes	1916	Brick	600	47	5	47	50,000.00	----------	5,000.00	55,000.00	----------	20,000.00
13	Hoffman	J. F. Butler, Hoffman	Yes	1912	Wood	400	5	4	----	3,000.00	----------	----------	3,000.00	----------	----------
14	Laurinburg, First	A. A. James, Laurinburg	Yes	1928	Brick	500	39	5	35	60,000.00	10,400.00	5,000.00	75,400.00	8,600.00	21,900.00
15	Lilesville	James T. Farlow, Lilesville	Yes	1872	Wood	400	1	2	2	4,000.00	----------	2,500.00	6,500.00	----------	1,800.00
16	Midway	Verda Hancock, Rockingham	Yes	1920	Wood	300	5	----	4	2,000.00	----------	----------	2,000.00	----------	----------
17	Morven	M. B. Ballard, Morven	Yes	1908	Brick	400	8	2	8	8,000.00	----------	----------	8,000.00	----------	3,000.00
18	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	Yes	1893	Wood	200	1	----	----	500.00	----------	----------	500.00	----------	----------
19	McDonald	Mrs. Roy McDonald, Rockingham	Yes	1933	Wood	200	1	----	----	500.00	----------	----------	500.00	----------	----------
20	New Hope	B. J. Jenkins, Rt. 4, Rockingham	Yes	1935	Logs	300	3	----	----	500.00	----------	----------	500.00	----------	----------
21	Peachland	Van O. Bryant, Peachland	Yes	1918	Brick	500	1	1	8	5,000.00	----------	----------	5,000.00	----------	----------
22	Pee Dee	L. L. Throuer, Rockingham	Yes	1915	Wood	600	14	2	11	5,000.00	----------	----------	5,000.00	50.00	4,000.00
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	W. C. Curlee, Ansonville	Yes	1837	Wood	300	1	----	----	3,000.00	----------	----------	3,000.00	----------	----------
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	P. G. Webb, Rockingham	Yes	1884	Wood	500	6	5	6	3,000.00	----------	----------	3,000.00	----------	----------
25	Polkton	Miss Lelia Goodman, Polkton	Yes	1926	Brick	400	10	2	10	6,200.00	----------	1,300.00	7,500.00	----------	----------
26	Red Hill	Miss Fannie Lou Pope, Rt. 2, Wadesboro	Yes	1867	Wood	500	1	----	----	1,750.00	----------	----------	1,750.00	----------	----------
27	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	Yes	1887	Wood	300	4	----	3	2,500.00	----------	150.00	2,650.00	----------	1,000.00
28	Rockingham, First	Wm. G. Pittman, Rockingham	Yes	1912	Brick	250	16	6	23	20,900.00	----------	16,800.00	37,700.00	10,604.00	25,000.00
29	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	Yes	1878	Wood	200	5	----	5	2,000.00	----------	----------	2,000.00	----------	----------
30	Spring Hill	Monroe McMillan, Wagram	Yes	1912	Brick	300	8	7	8	9,500.00	----------	2,000.00	11,500.00	----------	9,500.00
31	Wade	Harold Tarleton, Wadesboro	No	------	Brick	500	5	5	5	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------
32	Wadesboro, First	W. L. Bennett, Wadesboro	Yes	1928	Brick	450	47	6	42	95,000.00	50.00	10,000.00	105,050.00	21,000.00	37,400.00
	Totals		-----	------	-------	13,005	299	76	285	$348,350.00	$10,450.00	$49,750.00	$408,550.00	$46,121.42	$149,100.00

TABLE IV—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	For Support of Local Church Work													
			Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	(Local Work) Given by Church Only	(Local Work) Given All W. M. U. Organizations	(Local Work) Given by the Sunday School	(Local Work) Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$ 234.00	$	$ 26.00	$ 15.00	$	$105.28	$ 61.41	$ 8.67	$ 5.50	$ 10.25	$ 370.78	$ 20.00	$ 75.33	$ 466.11
2	Bethel	Cyrus C. Pusser, Ellerbe	100.00						11.43		4.00	29.49	100.00		44.92	144.92
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	200.00			3.50		12.00	20.96		5.00		241.46			241.46
4	Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham	302.15	14.75	57.08	16.00				17.42	4.25	20.45	432.10			432.10
5	Cordova	I. B. Pittman, Cordova	829.40	15.00	90.00	200.00		169.96	64.52	27.00	7.00	89.00	1204.31	27.00	260.57	1491.88
6	Deep Creek	E. G. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro	300.00		36.00	76.60		5.00	27.69		5.00		422.60	27.69		450.29
7	East Laurinburg	J. D. Hildreth, East Laurinburg	270.18			3.50		18.00	87.74		6.00		297.68		87.74	385.42
8	East Rockingham	W. L. Lampley, Rockingham	866.84		50.00	10.00	402.50	115.76	65.69		5.50		1450.60		65.69	1516.29
9	Ellerbe	Lester Williamson, Ellerbe	800.00		50.00	100.00		107.00	85.00	5.00	7.00		1069.00		85.00	1154.00
10	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	600.00					163.12	81.57	25.00	6.00		794.12		81.57	875.69
11	Gum Springs	H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	274.70		49.00	287.34		28.05	63.55		6.00		617.04		91.60	708.64
12	Hamlet, First	C. E. Coggins, Hamlet	3000.00	420.00	125.00		429.00	1713.00	438.00	62.00	20.00	15.00	6222.00			6,222.00
13	Hoffman	D. T. Covington, Hoffman	59.80								6.50		66.30			66.30
14	Laurinburg, First	W. E. Matthews, Laurinburg	927.50		334.39	388.12	3251.09	571.02	188.51		15.00	150.03	5410.85	149.14	265.67	5,825.66
15	Lilesville	T. B. Seago, Lilesville	240.00		46.04	11.95		76.28	51.40		6.25		337.84		94.08	431.92
16	Midway	Virginia Hasty, Rockingham	111.50		8.00	100.00		24.35	20.38		3.50		247.35		20.38	267.73
17	Morven	T. V. Hardison, Morven	485.00		44.00			66.77	51.33		6.00	119.49	601.77	123.49	47.33	772.59
18	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham	40.00			12.00					3.00		55.00			55.00
19	McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rockingham	110.25		15.00			11.05	20.80		3.50	10.00	139.80		30.80	170.60
20	New Hope	B. J. Jenkins, Rockingham	19.25			94.75			9.00		3.00		126.00			126.00
21	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	233.20		40.85	17.58		172.85	68.76		6.00		482.48	12.00	44.76	539.24
22	Pee Dee	Roy Benoy, Jr., Rockingham	858.00		85.67	5.66		146.80	49.57	264.21	6.00	60.82	1451.52	25.21		1,476.73
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	T. D. Bates, Wadesboro	150.00								5.00	5.50	160.50			160.50
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	186.07		25.00				40.00		5.00	3.75	219.82		40.00	259.82
25	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	417.00		45.85			63.26	47.84	4.50	5.00		578.95	4.50		583.45
26	Red Hill	Mrs. E. R. Randall, Rt. 2, Polkton	200.82		50.00	200.00			36.75		4.50	9.00	430.32	25.00	45.75	501.07
27	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	200.04					63.46	26.76		6.00				296.26	296.26
28	Rockingham, First	Claude Gore, Rockingham	1,650.00	180.00	6.90	22.88	2,663.29	387.65	277.55	6.35	16.00		5,210.62			5,210.62
29	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	100.56		18.10	3.00		3.00	26.30		4.00		128.66		26.30	154.96
30	Spring Hill	E. C. Smith, Wagram	600.00		58.25	226.85		110.00	79.81		6.50	6.40	1,008.00		79.81	1,087.81
31	Wade	M. T. Long, Wadesboro	964.02		2.10			59.50	108.34	1.35	4.00	82.23	1,221.54			1,221.54
32	Wadesboro, First	F. H. Allen, Wadesboro	2,700.00	461.83		280.63	3,345.00	1151.75	273.81	62.74	15.00	326.56	8,257.76	85.75	273.81	8,617.32
	Totals		$18,030.28	$1091.58	$1263.23	$2075.36	$10,090.88	$5344.91	$2384.47	$484.24	$211.00	$937.97	$39,356.77	$499.78	$2057.37	$41,913.92

TABLE V—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND ALL BENEVOLENCES, PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	Regular Treasurers and Postoffices	Total Cooperative Program	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Christian and Ministerial Education	Special to Orphanage	Special Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Other Special Gifts	(Missions, Etc.) Given by the Church Only	(Missions, Etc.) Given by W. M. U. Organizations	(Missions, Etc.) Given by the Sunday School	(Missions, Etc.) Total Given for Missions and Benevolences by the Church and All Departments	Grand Total for All Purposes—Both Local Work and Missions—Given by Church and All Its Organizations
1	Ansonville	E. G. Kimbrough, Ansonville	$	$ 1.75	$	$	$ 2.75	$ 59.73	$	$	$ 28.35	$	$ 30.60	$ 61.98	$ 92.58	$ 558.69
2	Bethel	Cyrus C. Pusser, Ellerbe	11.57					14.78	.85			27.20			27.20	172.12
3	Cartledge Creek	T. G. Thomas, Rockingham	11.44					75.00	13.58			100.02			100.02	341.48
4	Cobb Memorial	S. A. Poplin, East Rockingham	3.30					20.17	5.05			28.52			28.52	460.62
5	Cordova	I. B. Pittman, Cordova	50.00		26.76	9.99		50.00				100.00	36.75		136.75	1,628.63
6	Deep Creek	E. G. Jones, Rt. 3, Wadesboro		5.01				10.21						15.22	15.22	465.51
7	East Laurinburg	J. D. Hildreth, East Laurinburg	17.20					18.25				35.45			35.45	420.87
8	East Rockingham	W. L. Lampley, Rockingham	20.75					20.75	10.00			51.50			51.50	1,567.79
9	Ellerbe	Lester Williamson, Ellerbe	137.68	10.60	11.75	11.30		77.37	11.50		12.80	190.08	5.30	77.62	273.00	1,427.00
10	Gibson	A. J. Gardner, Gibson	177.88				15.00	49.60	12.48		2.50	257.46			257.46	1,133.15
11	Gum Springs	H. A. Ward, Pee Dee	40.07					139.35					40.07	139.35	179.42	888.06
12	Hamlet, First	C. E. Coggins, Hamlet	1671.00	85.00		14.00		344.00	39.00		14.00	456.00	1228.00	483.00	2167.00	8,389.00
13	Hoffman	D. T. Covington, Hoffman														66.30
14	Laurinburg, First	W. E. Matthews, Laurinburg	520.00	101.73	58.35	75.96	8.32	130.60			108.09	520.00	334.51	148.54	1003.05	6,828.71
15	Lilesville	T. B. Seago, Lilesville	27.85	3.00	5.00			65.22	7.50			18.95	35.85	53.77	108.57	540.49
16	Midway	Virginia Hasty, Rockingham							4.00			4.00			4.00	271.73
17	Morven	T. V. Hardison, Morven	60.57	9.76	11.24			46.17	10.62	3.87	6.00	68.03	30.84	49.36	148.23	920.82
18	Mount Olive	R. L. Dawkins, Rockingham														55.00
19	McDonald	Roy McDonald, Rockingham	10.00					3.18	4.52			10.00		7.70	17.70	188.30
20	New Hope	B. J. Jenkins, Rockingham														126.00
21	Peachland	Miss Myrtle Covington, Peachland	69.45	6.00	2.41			32.00	3.15		7.50	57.03	40.42	23.06	120.51	659.75
22	Pee Dee	Roy Benoy, Jr., Rockingham	83.45		5.00			95.00				165.00	18.45		183.45	1,660.18
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	T. D. Bates, Wadesboro	5.50									5.50			5.50	166.00
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	W. F. Campbell, Rockingham	22.86	5.00	1.20	1.20		15.00	3.18			48.44			48.44	308.26
25	Polkton	Mrs. W. C. Hancock, Polkton	53.80	5.00	4.60			72.92	8.85			15.00	38.80	91.37	145.17	728.62
26	Red Hill	Mrs. E. R. Randall, Rt. 2, Polkton	7.14					3.55					7.14	3.55	10.69	511.76
27	Roberdel	J. W. Nicholson, Roberdel	19.60	2.25	2.80			5.00	2.35				32.00		32.00	328.26
28	Rockingham, First	Claude Gore, Rockingham	362.22	14.38	47.55	100.00	47.00	159.81	45.09		68.00	524.02	320.03		844.05	6,054.67
29	Saron	C. M. Covington, Ellerbe	72.44					32.66	4.24		14.00	98.44		24.90	123.34	278.30
30	Spring Hill	E. C. Smith, Wagram	225.85	4.25	10.91	9.35		56.00	9.63			163.74	92.00	60.25	315.99	1,403.80
31	Wade	M. T. Long, Wadesboro	83.44					27.98			10.00	121.42			121.42	1,342.96
32	Wadesboro, First	F. H. Allen, Wadesboro	300.00	47.92	87.00	167.40		368.68	56.50		11.29	460.53	278.19	300.07	1038.79	9,656.11
	Totals		$4065.06	$301.65	$274.57	$389.20	$73.07	$1992.98	$252.09	$3.87	$282.53	$3526.33	$2568.95	$1539.74	$7635.02	$49,548.94

TABLE VI—THE THREE AUXILIARIES—B. Y. P. U's., MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND W. M. U's. OF PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FOR YEAR ENDING SEPEMBER 30, 1935

Index Number	Churches	The Young People's Work																Men's Brotherhoods		W. M. U. Work											
		Does Church Have General B.Y.P.U. Organization?	Adult Unions	Senior Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Total Unions	Standard Unions	Adults Enrolled	Seniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking B.Y.P.U. Study Course	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Students in College From Your Church	Number Brotherhoods	Enrollment Brotherhoods	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses
1	Ansonville	----	--	--	1	1	2	--	--	----	15	18	33	----	11	18	1	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	14	----	----	----	----	14	----
2	Bethel	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
3	Cartledge Creek	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
4	Cobb Memorial	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
5	Cordova	----	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	35	----	----	35	10	----	17	3	----	----	1	----	----	----	1	2	15	----	----	----	50	65	----
6	Deep Creek	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
7	East Laurinburg	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
8	East Rockingham	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	2	12	20	----	----	----	32	3
9	Ellerbe	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	12	18	15	45	33	----	28	----	----	----	1	1	1	----	1	4	18	15	10	----	12	55	6
10	Gibson	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	16	15	10	41	18	8	14	2	----	----	1	----	1	1	1	4	16	----	9	9	10	44	13
11	Gum Springs	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	14	32	16	62	19	----	25	1	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	33	----	----	----	----	33	----
12	Hamlet, First	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	26	30	34	90	19	----	25	5	----	----	1	1	1	----	1	4	120	13	46	----	60	239	----
13	Hoffman	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	6	----	----	----	----	6	----
14	Laurinburg, First	Yes	--	--	1	1	2	--	--	----	18	25	43	17	----	25	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	2	75	25	----	----	----	100	----
15	Lilesville	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	12	22	10	44	17	20	4	2	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	2	24	14	----	----	----	38	----
16	Midway	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
17	Morven	----	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	18	----	----	18	9	----	12	----	----	----	1	----	1	----	1	3	15	----	10	----	10	35	----
18	Mount Olive	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
19	McDonald	Yes	--	1	1	--	2	--	--	17	16	----	33	11	8	29	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
20	New Hope	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
21	Peachland	Yes	1	1	1	1	4	--	8	12	8	8	36	10	----	20	3	----	----	1	----	1	1	1	4	24	----	18	12	12	66	----
22	Pee Dee	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	15	----	----	----	----	15	----
23	Pleasant Grove (A)	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
24	Pleasant Grove (R)	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
25	Polkton	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	20	12	8	40	24	31	33	----	----	----	1	1	1	1	1	5	30	18	15	7	15	85	----
26	Red Hill	----	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	23	----	----	23	12	----	4	1	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	9	----	----	----	----	9	----
27	Roberdel	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	1	7	----	----	----	----	7	----
28	Rockingham, First	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	15	20	20	55	33	20	55	6	----	----	1	2	2	----	1	6	48	22	27	----	10	107	----
29	Saron	----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
30	Spring Hill	Yes	1	1	--	1	3	--	15	12	----	15	42	18	----	20	5	----	----	1	1	----	----	1	3	35	10	----	----	25	70	----
31	Wade	----	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	20	19	28	67	17	24	19	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	2	15	8	----	----	----	23	----
32	Wadesboro, First	Yes	--	1	1	1	3	--	--	24	31	24	79	22	74	50	8	----	----	1	1	1	1	1	5	80	32	20	16	25	173	49
	Totals	12	2	15	13	13	43	--	23	276	256	231	786	289	196	398	37	----	----	20	11	9	4	10	54	611	177	155	44	229	1216	71

THE HISTORICAL TABLE PEE DEE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1816	Richland Creek, Montgomery County		John Culpepper, Sr.	
1817	Cedar Creek (A)			
1819	Bethlehem Meeting House (R)			
1820	Jersey Settlement, Davidson County			
1821	Cartledge Creek (R)			
1822	Rocky River (A)			
1823	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1824	Pine Woods, Rowan County			
1825	Bear Creek			
1827	Bethlehem, 2nd. Anson County			
1828	Cedar Creek, Anson County			
1829	Saron, Richmond County			
1830	Cartledge Creek, Richmond County			
1831	Brown Creek, Anson County			
1832	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
1833	Bethlehem, Montgomery County			
1836	Kendalls, Montgomery County			
1837	Bethel, Montgomery County			
1838	Cross Roads Church, Montgomery County			
1839	Saron, Richmond County			
1840	Cedar Creek, Anson County			
1841	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
1842	Rocky Church, Anson County			
1843	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
1844	New Union Meeting House, Montgomery County			
1845	Pleasant Grove, Anson County			
1847	Church In Fork, Little River, Montgomery County			
1848	Bethel, Montgomery County			
1849	Brown Creek, Anson County			
1850	Union Church, Montgomery County			
1852	Pee Dee Church, Anson County			
1856	Spring Hill, Richmond County			
1872				W. L. Wright
1873	Ebenezer, Stanly County			
1877	Pee Dee, Anson County	W. M. Bostick	W. M. Bostick	Collier Cobb
1883	Mt. Carmel, Montgomery County			
1889	Spring Hill		B. H. Phillips	A. Johnson
1890	Cartledges Creek		A. C. Dockery	A. Johnson
1891	Pleasant Grove		J. B. Covington	A. Johnson
1892	Laurinburg, First		J. B. Covington	A. Johnson
1893	Morven	J. Q. Adams	Dr. E. H. Covington	S. T. Flake
1894	Wadesboro, First	J. F. Tuttle	E. A. Covington	W. D. Webb
1895	Spring Hill	T. S. Wright	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1897	Rockingham, First	W. M. Jones	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1898	Wadesboro, First	Dispensed with	J. Q. Adams	W. J. Matthews
1899	Ansonville	W. M. Jones	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1901	Polkton	C. L. Greaves	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1902	Pleasant Grove (R)	J. F. Love	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1903	Brown Creek	G. O. Wilhoit	E. A. Covington	W. J. Matthews
1905	Red Hill	E. D. Cameron	T. L. Caudle	W. J. Matthews
1906	Rockingham, First	Livingston Johnson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1907	Wadesboro, First	W. H. Whitehead	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1908	Laurinburg, First	A. M. Burleson	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1909	Peachland	T. G. Wood	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1910	Hamlet, First	Josiah Crudup	H. C. Dockery	W. J. Matthews
1912	Hoffman	J. F. Davis	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1913	Lilesville	A. T. Howell	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1914	Rockingham, First	W. H. Reddish	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1915	Ellerbe	Bruce Benton	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1916	Wadesboro, First	James Long	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1917	Spring Hill	W. T. Baucom	W. H. Weatherspoon	W. J. Matthews
1918	Gibson	T. B. Justice	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1919	Hamlet, First	A. C. Hamby	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1920	Cartledge Creek	C. B. Austin	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1921	Wadesboro, First	R. T. Vann	K. W. Ashcraft	W. J. Matthews
1922	Saron	J. M. Arnette	W. E. Harrison	W. J. Matthews
1923	Pleasant Grove (A)	J. B. Willis	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1924	Hoffman	C. L. Jackson	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1925	Ansonville	No sermon	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1926	Hamlet, First	E. V. Babb	E. P. Pearce	W. J. Matthews
1927	Entwistle	J. A. Snow	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1928	Morven	J. F. Hoyle	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1929	Peachland	B. F. Bray	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1930	Rockingham, First	C. E. Ruffin	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1931	Laurinburg, First	J. C. Meigs	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1932	Bethel	T. W. Hearne	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1933	Wadesboro, First	W. Emory Trainham	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1934	Pee Dee	W. H. Moore	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane
1935	Gum Springs	J. B. Willis	Bruce Benton	Charles B. Deane